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## FIRE ON TRANSPORT CAUSED LOSS OF LIFE

**The Meade Was Ready to Sail---Panama  
Today Visited By \$500,000 Blaze.**

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 1.—The United States transport Meade, loaded with soldiers and supplies and ready to sail for the Philippines, caught fire early this morning, causing loss of life and serious injury to a number of persons.

Three bodies have been brought ashore and it is believed others are on the vessel.

The dead are:

THIRD OFFICER C. WALLACE, of Meade.

CAPT. DAKIN, of the fire department.

HOSEMAN HENNESSY, of the fire department.

The injured include officers and men of the Meade, and of the fire department.

The fire was discovered in the forward hold.

Fully a thousand troops were aboard and everything was in readiness to sail for Manila this morning. The flames spread rapidly and in a few minutes the hold was a raging pit. All the available fire apparatus of the city responded to the alarms. Eight hundred barrels of lime were stored in the hold and the fumes rendered unconscious all who attempted to enter. Firemen finally got the flames under control.

### Four Killed in Explosion.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 1.—The boiler of the Kelley Valley lumber mills in Logan county exploded today, killing Peter Clark and sons, Fred and Harry, and Jack Frey. Only one man in the mill, which was wrecked, escaped, and he was blown 200 feet.

## JUDGE BARRY'S RESOLUTION WON

**It Orders an Investigation of  
State Departments.**

**\$35,000 Appropriated for Hopkinsville Asylum—Hon. J. G. Carlisle Spoke Today.**

### OTHER FRANKFORT NOTES.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—The contest committee in the Charles Campbell case from Pike county reported giving Campbell, the Republican, his seat and allowing each side \$75, and the report was adopted unanimously.

Judge E. Barry, of Marshall, offered a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee of five by the speaker to investigate the various departments of the state to ascertain whether any useless salaries were being paid in the administration of Kentucky's affairs and to inquire into conditions generally. The resolution recited that it had been offered as the result of the governor's message declaring it desirable to keep down expenses. Resolution was adopted 43 to 18.

The Allen bill to remove the doubt as to the day upon which the legislature shall elect a United States senator was passed.

The Linn bill authorizing the county fiscal courts to fix the day for letting contracts for working roads by taxation, was passed.

The bill appropriating \$35,000 for improvements at the Hopkinsville asylum passed unanimously.

The bill to increase the salary and clerical force of the railroad commission was made a special order for next Tuesday. Former Secretary John G. Carlisle spoke three minutes before the assembly at noon, merely saying he was glad to be back to Kentucky and thanking them for the invitation.

### A Trust Bill.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—Kentucky promises to take the first steps for an interstate conference looking to securing uniform legislation upon trust questions. Senator Wheeler Campbell introduced a bill in the senate providing for the appointment of a commission from Kentucky and inviting other states to take similar action to hold such a conference.

### Three Killed at Erie Tunnel.

Middleton, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Three Italian laborers were killed and three injured in a cave-in at the big shaft of the Erie tunnel this morning. The shaft is a hundred and twenty-five feet deep, and portions of rock and dirt fell from near the top, killing the men instantly.

### \$500,000 Fire in Panama.

Panama, Feb. 1.—A disastrous fire broke out this morning and before it was extinguished it caused great damage. The fire raged in the main street and twenty-eight buildings, including the Concordia Hotel, occupied by Americans, and fifteen stores were destroyed, loss half a million dollars.

### Two Killed By Explosion.

Carrollton, Mr., Feb. 1.—The boiler of the grist mill of W. H. Hartford, ten miles northwest of here, exploded, killing Hartford and Warren Swank. The body of Swank was blown 100 yards and when recovered was being torn by hogs.

### Jealousy Caused This.

San Francisco, Feb. 1.—In the presence of a throng of pedestrians at Marke and Kearney streets William Walbridge shot and dangerously wounded his wife, Mabel, shot two bystanders and killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

### Two Killed By Dynamite.

Joplin, Mo., Feb. 1.—An explosion of dynamite occurred in Fairview mine at Duenweg, blowing to pieces A. Pasley and W. L. Ward, miners.

Kentucky will, of course, bear the chief expense of the conference, but it will not amount to over \$5,000.

Senator Campbell will be one of the three commissioners from Kentucky to the divorce congress at Washington, which was called by the legislature of Pennsylvania, and is anxious for his bill to pass in time to secure the approval of the plan by the divorce congress.

The bill appears to have the support of a majority of the members of the legislature. The bill does not provide the place or time of holding such a congress, but it will very likely be held in Louisville some time next fall or winter. The title of the bill is as follows:

"An act providing for the appointment by the governor of this commonwealth of three delegates to formulate a law to be presented to the legislature concerning the regulation and control of pools, trusts and combinations in restraint of trade, and to invite the co-operation of the governors of other states of the United States to appoint like commissioners, and providing for the assembling and working of such delegates, and for the defraying of the expenses incident to the carrying out of this act."

### BANKER DEAD.

**James Weir Passes Away at His Home in Owensboro.**

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 1.—James Weir, president of the National Deposit bank and the nestor of the Daviess county bar, died at his residence, "Waveland" at 9:30 o'clock last night.

He was in his eighty-fifth year, and although he had been gradually growing weaker for weeks, members of his family did not think the end was near.

He is survived by one sister and six children. One of his daughters, Mrs. Robert S. Triplett, of Waco, Tex., is accompanying the remains of her husband, who died Tuesday, to Owensboro.

### COMMITTEE REPORT.

**Said to Be Against Trustee Byrd—Will Be Brought in Tuesday.**

The school board will meet in regular session Tuesday night. The committee appointed to investigate into the eligibility of Trustee W. T. Byrd will bring in its report. It is said it will be unfavorable to Mr. Byrd, and according to a statement of a member of the board today, he will not be seated. There are several members who are in favor of seating him, but a majority of the board is opposed to it, holding that he is not eligible.

## KENTUCKY CADET WILL GET PARDON

**He Countenanced Hazing and Was Court Martialed.**

**Midshipman Miller to Graduate With Class—The Hepburn Bill Discussed.**

### BANK STATEMENT CALLED FOR.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—Secretary of Navy Bonaparte today approved the recommendation made by Superintendent Sands, of the naval academy, for a pardon for Midshipman John Paul Miller, of Kentucky, of the first-class, recently convicted by court martial of countenancing hazing. The recommendation was forwarded to the president and delivered, and in consideration of the excellent standing of Miller in the class, he will be pardoned.

### Hepburn Rate Bill.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—In discussing the Hepburn rate bill today, Mann, Republican of Illinois, took exception to some of its provisions. He objected to fixing the penalty at \$5,000 for each different violation of the order of the interstate commission, saying this might penalize the road to the extent of a million dollars a day.

### Bank Statement of Jan. 29.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for a statement of the condition of national banks at the close of business January 29.

### Another Hazer Dismissed.

Annapolis, Feb. 1.—Midshipman Chapin, of California, was dismissed today from the naval service for hazing. Chapin was a member of the first class, which will be graduated from the academy February 12.

### WICKLIFFE SUICIDE.

**Kentuckian Said to Have Drunk Carbolic Acid.**

Cairo, Ill., Feb. 1.—A man giving the name of D. Lee, but whose right name is said to be Cusard, committed suicide at Wickliffe Ky., Tuesday by taking carbolic acid. He is said to have lived in Cairo for some time. He went to Wickliffe in search of work and not being able to obtain it took the poison. He was buried at the expense of Ballard county.

### POLICE CAN'T SWEAR.

**New Rule Being Enforced in St. Louis.**

St. Louis, Feb. 1.—Recently the board of police commissioners issued an order prohibiting policemen from swearing on duty and tonight an order was issued that policemen shall arrest all persons who may be heard using profane language on the streets and in public places. After the board's order was issued one patrolman swore and was fined \$90.

## TODAY'S MARKETS

Wheat—	Open	Close.
May .....	.84 1/2	.84 1/2
July .....	.83 1/4	.83 1/4
Corn—		
May .....	.44 1/2	.44 1/2
July .....	.44 1/2	.44 1/2
Oats—		
May .....	.30 1/2	.30 1/2
Pork—		
May .....	14.00	14.12
Cotton—		
Feb. ....	10.80	10.86
May .....	10.93	11.04
July .....	11.04	11.12
Stocks—		
I. C. ....	1.74	1.74 1/2
L. & N. ....	1.52	1.52 1/2
Rdg. ....	1.41 1/2	1.43 1/2
T. C. I. ....	1.55	1.57

### Local Market.

Country bacon—12 1/2 c.	
Smoked sausage—12 1/2 c.	
Green sausage—10c.	
Sweet potatoes—50c per bu.	
Irish potatoes—80c per bu.	
Chickens—35c to 40c.	
Eggs—10c.	
Butter—20c.	
Pork—6c.	
Beef—2 1/2 c to 6 1/2 c.	
Corn—50c per bu.	
Hay—\$10 to \$12.	
Loose hay—\$11 to \$12.	
Lard—10c.	
Radishes—2 bunches, 15c.	
Lettuce—2 bunches, 15c.	

## A CHICAGO FIRE MEANS MUCH FOR US

**Roos Manufacturing Plant Has \$100,000 Loss.**

**Plant Will Not Be Rebuilt, but Orders Will Be Brought to Paducah Factory.**

### MORE MEN FOR COLUMBIA CO.

Fire Tuesday night at Chicago completely destroyed, with a \$100,000 loss, the curtain pole and wood novelty plant of the Roos Manufacturing Co., and a Paducah industry is destined to be greatly enlarged.

The Roos plant was owned by the father of Edward Roos, Jr., president and manager of the Columbia Manufacturing Co., a company that came to Paducah the first of the year and leased the plant formerly used by the Rex Manufacturing Co. The plant here was to be used as an auxiliary to the Chicago plant, but the destruction of the Chicago plant will result in the sending of all orders for it to the local plant.

"We will not rebuild our Chicago plant," said Mr. Roos today, "but we shall divert all the business that we have manufactured there to our Paducah plant. We are now working about 25 hands, so now we shall have to increase this force to at least 100. The work will be sent to Paducah at once and the increase in the operating force made in a few days."

Mr. Roos leaves for Chicago tonight.

## WANTS DIVORCE

**G. W. TANNER'S WIFE SAYS SHE WAS DRIVEN FROM HOME.**

**Alleges Cruel Treatment and Five Years' Separation.**

Attorneys Crice and Ross have prepared and will this afternoon file suit in circuit court for Rena Tanner, colored, against George Washington Tanner, her husband, for divorce, and another side of the controversy between Tanner and Prof. E. W. Benton, which had attracted attention for several weeks until both persons were fined in police court, is presented by the allegations in the petition and a point in favor of Benton is thereby scored.

The woman states in the petition that she and Tanner were married in Southern Illinois about six years ago; that Tanner treated her shortly after their marriage in a cruel and inhuman manner, finally ending in driving her from home. She became a school teacher, leaving Illinois and coming to Paducah, where she secured a position in the schools.

Shortly after settling in Paducah she alleges Tanner followed and began to interfere with her in many ways by threats and other acts which made life unpleasant. For five years she alleges they have been separated and she asks for a divorce, the custody of their child and the restoration of her maiden name.

Tanner, it will be remembered, accused Benton of alienating the affections of his wife, but the suit brought today, if the allegations be true, shows that she was driven from home prior to coming to Paducah.

### PADUCAH MAN

**Gets Thirty-five Days for Cigarette Smoking in Indiana.**

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 1.—John McDae, claiming Paducah, Ky., as his home, was sentenced to jail at Mount Vernon, Ind., for thirty-five days for smoking cigarettes on the streets of that town. The Mount Vernon authorities have given orders that the cigarette law will be strictly enforced.

No such name appears in the city directory, and if the man is a Paducahan he probably gave an assumed name.

**Becomes Judge Nunn's Secretary.**

Alfred J. Hendrick, son of Hon. J. K. Hendrick, leaves tonight for Frankfort to take the position of private secretary to Judge Nunn of the court of appeals. Mr. Hendrick has been in Hendrick, Miller & Marble's office.

## PLAN SUGGESTED TO GET GOOD SETTLERS

**Effort to Be Made to Attract Better Class of Foreigners to McCracken.**

The immigration committee of the Commercial club is preparing to prosecute a vigorous campaign for immigrants for McCracken county and the members are very enthusiastic over a plan suggested by the Hon. Charles K. Wheeler, who was added to the committee at the meeting of the club Monday night, when Mr. Coons made his report on his investigation of the immigration problem when in New York City.

Mr. Wheeler has formulated a plan to write to all the weekly newspapers in Minnesota, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota, and some other Northern states that have been getting the greatest part of the desirable immigrants for the past several years, and find out what languages they speak, and when this is done to send them the advertising matter the committee proposes to issue and he also will get lists of people in these states from members of congress.

"McCracken county has some lands that are fine for truck farming," said Mr. Wheeler today. "We all know we have a good many gardeners right here on the market who have made independent fortunes raising vegetables and fruits on the outskirts of the city. I know of one man in the county who got \$300 for his crop of dew berries last year and can cite you to numerous instances where land is bringing in from \$50 to \$100 an acre."

"Now, we propose to have some one get up all data of this sort that can be had, and there is a host of it here, to show what money is being made in truck farming in McCracken county. The facilities for getting the produce to the big markets

are splendid. The soil in McCracken is as good as is found in West Tennessee, where truck farming is carried on extensively and successfully and we believe, if we can get this information into the hands of some of the thrifty people who came and settled in the cold Northwest a few years ago that we can turn a good many of them Southward.

"These are the kind of people we want. They make good citizens, and they are usually very prosperous. I know a good many of them do not like the severe winters of the Northwest, and that lots of them are seeking the milder climates. Such being the case we have concluded that these people offer a better field for our immigration work, probably, than the people just coming over from Europe."

"The information we get together will be published in a handsome booklet advertising the city and county, and will be printed in the languages of the people whom we are seeking to locate, and the work will be pushed vigorously. I believe such a movement means more to Paducah than a good many of the factory propositions our club gets, and believe in the ultimate great success of it."

"We shall take options on some of the more desirable lands in the county, as a feature of work, so when we have diverted the settlers to our county, we shall have something to show him. We want to be able to sell settlers one, two, ten or a hundred acres, as they desire, on easy terms and are working on that feature of the work just now."

"I see great things in it for McCracken, and the Commercial club members, like myself, are very enthusiastic over it."

## MANY ATROCITIES IN BALTIC REGION

**Women and Children Flogged, Boys Shot.**

**An Average of 50 Men a Day Executed and the Population Is Terrorized.**

### AN OFFICER ASSASSINATED.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—Advices reaching here from the Baltic region, which are believed to be correct, state that atrocities committed by the soldiers sent there to pacify the country are indescribable. Boys are shot, it is stated, because their mothers escaped from the troops, and women and small children are flogged mercilessly.

An average of fifty men are executed daily and the entire population is terrorized.

### Killed With a Bomb.

Tiflis, Trans Caucasia, Feb. 1.—Gen. Griaznoff, chief of the staff of the viceroy of the Caucasus, was murdered in a most dramatic and audacious manner. The assassin evidently had studied the habits of his victim, and laid in wait behind a wall of the Alexander Garden, opposite the entrance of the palace, where a carriage was drawn up to take the general for his daily drive.

Gen. Griaznoff, clad in a crimson uniform and the white lamb's wool shapka, or cap, worn by the viceroy's aid-de-camp, made a shining target for the crouching assassin. As the general stepped into the carriage the man sprang on the wall, swung the can by a cord and the bomb, as if thrown from a sling, with marvelous precision sped straight to the mark and struck the general on the neck.

A flash of fire and a terrific explosion followed, and Griaznoff was literally blown out of the carriage and with his coachman, Cossack orderly and the latter's horse was instantly killed. A lady who was passing at the time of the explosion was mortally wounded.

### Fighting and Arson.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—Late ad-

vices from Comel, the scene of much rioting, is that there has been fighting between troops and revolutionists, and state that losses from incendiary fires aggregate half a million dollars.

## CAMERON HAPPY

**WELL KNOWN YOUNG MAN DIES AT MAYFIELD.**

**Was Formerly With the Scott Hardware Company in Paducah.**

Mr. Cameron E. Happy, aged about 25, son of Mr. R. D. Happy, deputy revenue collector for this district, died at 5:30 o'clock this morning of kidney trouble after an illness of several weeks.

The young man was taken ill about three months ago, but was not confined to his bed until a week previous to his death. He was born in Graves county and resided in Paducah in his early youth, attending the public schools here. Several years ago he removed to Mayfield again to reside and three years ago returned to Paducah where he worked until a short time ago, being connected with the Scott Hardware company.

He leaves parents and several sisters and brothers, all residing in Mayfield, and was one of the best known and most popular young men in this city and Mayfield.

Mr. Frank Scott will go down tonight to attend the funeral, which will be held in Mayfield tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

### Death From Pneumonia.

Mrs. Loatter Cathey, aged 39, wife of Mr. J. A. Cathey of Mayfield road, died of pneumonia last night. She leaves a husband and six children. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, interment at Hall's cemetery in the county.

### Died of Dropsy.

Mrs. Laura Wallace, of 217 Hays avenue, died of dropsy yesterday afternoon late. She was 20 years old and leaves a husband. The body was shipped to Elva, Ky., on the N. C. & St. L. road this afternoon for interment.

Where is he who is indifferent to the charms of the lady on the dollar?



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Company of 47. Chorus of 30.

Prices: Matinee, children 25c;  
adults, 50c. Night prices, 25c, 35c,  
50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Seats on sale Monday 9 a. m.

### Theatrical Notes

#### Miss Emerson Last Night.

Miss Mary Emerson in "Will O' the Wisp" was greeted by two fairly large audiences yesterday afternoon and evening. Miss Emerson is not unknown in Paducah, having been here last season in "His Majesty and the Maid," and she is a clever actress. The play seems to have given satisfaction, and the company is exceptionally well balanced. H. E. Humphrey, in the lead, proved himself a capable actor, and Marie Falls, as Lady Laura, divided honors with the star, Miss Emerson. Leslie Palmer, as Barbara, a comedy role, presented one of the most original and laughable character parts seen at the theater in some time.

#### "Bankers and Brokers."

Yorke and Adams are coming! This announcement means a night of joyous mirth to all who have heard them before. In "Bankers and Brokers" Yorke and Adams offer a new musical comedy, a tuneful trifle, brimful of rollicking humor and embowered with a bevy of pretty girls and clever comedians. Brilliant costumes, elaborate scenery and novel effects will all contribute toward rounding out an entertainment complete in every particular. A rattling good time may be anticipated by all who attend the performance at The Kentucky on next Tuesday matinee and night.

#### Paul Dresser Dead.

New York, Feb. 1.—Paul Dresser, a song writer, whose "Banks of the Wabash" and "The Blue and the Gray" brought his name into public notice, died at the home of his sister, in this city. Mr. Dresser was born forty-seven years ago in Terre Haute, Ind.

#### Then She Accepted Him.

The Fair Young Girl—But they say you have a bad heart.

The Old Millionaire (who has proposed)—Yes, I'm liable to drop dead any minute.

The Fair Young Girl—Then we'll be married at once.

#### LATEST FAD

It is quite the rage now to take Un-cam-pog-ary Quinine in place of the old bitter quinine. Un-cam-pog-ary is pleasant to take and gives better results. You try it. At all druggists, 25c.

## STILL IN DARK

NO EVIDENCE THAT MRS. MANGRUM EVER LEFT NASHVILLE.

A New Theory is That She Was Murdered at Evansville, Ind.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 1.—Little light has been thrown on the mystery surrounding the murder of Mrs. Rosa Mangrum, and relatives and police officers are as much in the dark in regard to information concerning her whereabouts after she arrived at the Union Station here as at first.

Pullman Conductor Stull was seen by Detectives Irwin and Dowd. Mr. Stull was shown the photograph of Mrs. Mangrum, but failed to recognize her. He was asked if he could remember having her on his train on the night of December 14, bound for Chicago, and he was unable to tell whether she was or not, but seemed to think that she was not aboard his train. The result of this last move leaves the local officers almost at the end of their investigation here, for they have been unable to trace Mrs. Mangrum from the time she arrived at the Union Station, and all efforts to learn of her afterwards have proved futile.

A new theory has been advanced in the case, and that is that she met her death at or near Evansville, Ind. Many officers and persons familiar with what is known of the case think they have good grounds for believing that she was killed at Evansville. If she went on the Evansville-Chicago train the night of December 14, it is possible that she might have left the train at Evansville. Knock-out drops or chloroform could have been administered to her and her body thrown into the Ohio river.

Evansville is only about eighty miles distant from Cairo, and for the body to float there is within the bounds of reason, though it would seemingly take only a short time for it to do so. Although it is generally supposed that she met death on the night she left the city here, there is no evidence to that effect, and her unfortunate end may have come several days after she left here.

After leaving Nashville December 14, Mrs. Mangrum was expected to go to St. Louis and was to visit a friend. At the hotel where she was to have stopped mail was found addressed to her, but there was no evidence that she ever reached St. Louis.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets  
Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

#### WALL FELL IN

At the Stutz Candy Factory, at Second and Jefferson.

A portion of the P. E. Stutz candy factory, at Second and Jefferson streets, fell down Monday night or Tuesday morning early and did several hundred dollars' worth of damage.

The rear portion, constructed of brick, seemed to have tumbled down. The constant vibration from the power house, situated in the rear of the candy factory on Second street, is the only cause to which the proprietor of the factory can attribute the accident.

The damage to the building will amount to several hundred dollars, fully covered by insurance. The building is owned by Loeb-Bloom & Co.

Some machinery for the manufacture of candy was damaged in the collapse and this will amount to about \$250 or \$300. The work of removing the debris and rebuilding the collapsed portion of the factory is now under course.

## TRACK CHANGES WILL BENEFIT MANY

I. C. Contemplates Several Changes for This Year.

The Handling of Logs Will Be Greatly Facilitated By One of the Improvements.

SUPERVISOR TO COME HERE

The I. C. road is preparing to make extensive improvements in track work this spring in and about Paducah, and the improvements will greatly facilitate the handling of logs for the several big mills and manufacturing concerns in Paducah.

One of the most important improvements now under consideration and which is said to have been definitely decided on, is to be made at Island Creek. The road intends to install a series of tracks with incline in the Island Creek vicinity to facilitate the handling of logs from the river. The arrangement will be similar to that at Brookport and will cost a great deal. It will not only mean a great saving in time and labor, but will cut off a great expense to the manufacturers not located on the river, especially the new box and basket factory at the Thompson stock yards.

Improvements to the Cairo extension of the road are also under consideration. It is practically settled that the Cairo extension will be supplied with the heaviest rails on the system. The present rail is 75 pounds but the 85 pound rail will be substituted. This move was necessitated by the installation of the big 801 class freight engines on this extension. The heaviest tracks are necessary for these class engines.

There are several other track improvements under consideration by the higher officials at Chicago, and it is understood the recommendations will be sent in within a few weeks with instructions to the road department to proceed with the work.

It is understood that Mr. William McNamara, supervisor of tracks of the Louisville division of the I. C., will remove his headquarters to Paducah shortly. He is now at Princeton, but as there is a great deal of work to be done on this end of the division which calls for his presence and as Paducah would make a better location for him, he has decided to remove here. Mr. McNamara is looking for a suitable residence now. Supt. A. H. Egan and Roadmaster F. L. Thompson, of the Louisville division of the I. C., who have been in Paducah on business, returned to Louisville this morning.

#### CRACK LADDER CREW

Is What Capt. Joe Collins Has at Central Station.

Capt. Joe Collins, of No. 1 fire station, is reaching out after more laurels in the perfection of the Paducah fire department, and says he intends to have the crack aerial ladder crew of the state.

Captain Collins once every week gives his men a drill in the operation of the aerial truck and the crew has progressed remarkably with the ladder. It requires but a fraction of a minute to raise the ladder now and Capt. Collins intends to drill his ladder crew to such perfection that the ladder will be raised as soon as the truck is well stopped after making a run.

While there has been little use for the truck since the city installed it, there might come an opportunity to use it any day and Capt. Collins wishes to be prepared.

#### FINE WORK.

All the Supervisor's Notices Served in One Week.

Sheriff John Ogilvie yesterday afternoon finished serving notices sent out by the county tax books supervisors.

There were several thousand of them and each deputy sheriff was assigned to districts in the county. In this way the notices were served in little more than a week's time. It was a very quick job and Sheriff Ogilvie has been highly complimented on his work.

You will never tire of Mrs. Austin's Pancakes. A fresh supply now on hand at your grocers.

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Her Hair Takes on New Life and Grows 3 Feet Longer than it was Before.

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Danderine will always have my best wishes.  
Sincerely,  
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This GREAT HAIR-GROWING REMEDY can now be had at all Druggists in three sizes, 25c., 50c. and \$1.00 per bottle.

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To show how quickly Danderine acts we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this advertisement to the Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago, with their name and address and ten cents in silver or stamps to pay postage.

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#### KENTUCKY CLUB

Enjoys an Address From Former Governor Bradley.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 1.—William O. Bradley, who bears the distinction of having been one of Kentucky's few Republican governors, was the principal speaker at the Kentucky society's banquet at the Planters' hotel Tuesday night. It was the sixth annual social event of the society and was presided over by Dr. John Young Brown, the president.

Gov. Bradley was introduced amid cheers from the banqueters, and gave a brief talk, so well interspersed with humorous stories pertaining to Kentucky, that he kept the audience in almost continuous laughter. He referred to the great men of Kentucky many of whom attained national distinction, and to Woodson, Stone, Crittenden, Francis and Vest, all Kentuckians, who achieved fame in Missouri. He dwelt at some length on the large number of Kentuckians in Missouri. He said his state loved Virginia because she was the mother of Kentucky and she loves Missouri because she was the daughter of Kentucky.

Dr. Burris A. Jenkins, president of the Kentucky university at Lexington, gave a talk on "Old Transylvania," the original name given the institution over which he presides, which was founded in 1799.

Ex-Gov. D. R. Francis spoke on the "Home-Coming Week," beginning June 13 next, when the Kentuckians in all parts of the world are invited to attend a grand reunion at Louisville. He spoke of the part taken by Kentucky at the world's fair, saying that Missouri owed it to Kentucky to return the visit.

Miss Lucille Campbell rendered excellent songs and Miss Nannie Barbee a monologue and a recitation. Both are Kentuckians. Songs were also rendered by Dempster Godlove and Steve Martin.

#### POLE WIRING

Badly Needs Attention and New Inspector Will Look After It.

Mr. F. O. Evertz, who was yesterday temporarily appointed wire inspector for the city to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Inspector William Gilsdorf, stated this morning that he would push work in the business portion of the city before inspecting the residences.

"I notice that the pole work in Paducah needs remodeling," Inspector Evertz stated, "and I will look after this at once. The intersection of streets at many places in the city shows a bad system of wiring and it should be attended to at once. I believe that one year of good hard work on the part of the electricians and property owners will be sufficient to put the city in a safe position in the wiring matter."

"Mr. Gilsdorf has most of the work in the business portion of the city up to requirements and after I have completed the work in this section,

will begin on residences. I find that residences as a general rule poorly wired in Paducah. In many instances the wiring has been done so badly that the appearances of the house, let alone the safety of the wiring, is spoiled by the class of work put up."

Mr. Evertz will continue in the place until a regular man is appointed, and dived into the work today with a vim. He expects to see more electricians at work in Paducah this summer than ever before in the history of the city.

#### R. S. Triplett Dies in Texas

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 1.—Robert S. Triplett, formerly of Owensboro, died of heart disease in Waco, Tex. He was born in Louisville in September, 1858, and was a son of the late Robert Triplett. He leaves a widow, who was Miss Nora Weir, a daughter of James Weir, of Owensboro, and one daughter. The funeral will be held in Owensboro Thursday afternoon.

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After seeing for yourself what it can do, you can get a regular, full size package of Pyramid Pile Cure from any druggist at 50 cents each, or, on receipt of price, we will mail you same ourselves if he should not have it.

### COLORED PLAYERS

In Paducah Crack Colored Team Receive Good Offers.

The fame of the Paducah colored baseball team has spread, and members of the team are being sought after by teams in the largest cities in the country.

Louis Thomas, who played short-stop for the team, has received an offer from Chicago to play with the Leland Giants, Chicago's crack colored team. He also has a chance to go with what is reputed to be the best colored team in New York city.

Pearl Head, who played left field, is also being offered positions on teams in Chicago and New York, and both Head and Thomas may go to Chicago in a few days to complete arrangements.

The Paducah colored team did excellent work last season and won a reputation as being the best colored team on the road. It played all teams accepting challenges and defeated them all excepting the Chattanooga team, which broke even with it in a series of six games, three here and three at Chattanooga.

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Texas Woman Loses 50 Pounds While in a Trance—Hot Weather Kills Illinoisans.

### OTHER FREAK HAPPENINGS.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 1.—When as it is reported, Rev. Mr. Balgen, pastor of the Christian church at Ellsworth, said in a funeral sermon that Charles Robbins, whose body lay in front of the pulpit, "had lived a life which would send him to hell," Robbins' coal miner friends walked forward, and taking up the coffin, carried it out of the church.

"This man is bound to go to hell," they say the pastor declared. "His wife sat there and we couldn't stand for it. Of course, we know Charley wasn't an angel, but if the preacher couldn't have said something good about him, he ought to have kept still."

### Loses 50 Pounds in a Trance.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 1.—Mrs. L. A. McCauley, aged 60, and residing on Polytechnic heights, has lain in a deep trance or sleep for twenty-one days. On January 9 she reeled and exclaimed, "Oh, my head." These were the last words she has spoken, and she has taken nourishment but three times during the interval. She has lost 50 pounds in weight, and is very much emaciated. Physicians pronounce it a case of haemiplegia, and they say there is no hope of recovery.

### Igorrotes in a Panic.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 1.—The Igorrotes wintering in Athletic park created a great uproar in that section of the city and it was necessary to turn in a riot call. Puc-Aa-Und, the chief of the colony, died Sunday and the Igorrotes imagine they are being haunted by his ghost. They became so panic-stricken with fear this morning that they broke out of the park and started uptown yelling, screaming and beating tin pans and other noise-producing instruments.

### Warm Weather Killed Men.

Danville, Ill., Feb. 1.—Of the score or more of deaths in Vermilion county in the last forty-eight hours, many are attributed by physicians to the warm weather. It is the highest death rate ever known here. There are many cases of malaria, typhoid fever and measles. Farmers are making maple sugar and fruit buds are swelling, causing fruit growers to fear the crop will be destroyed by later freezes.

### Was Lost 14 Years.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 1.—A postal card mailed at Richmond, Va., August 26, 1892, and addressed to the Louisville, Evansville & St. Louis railroad, now the Southern railroad, arrived here today and was delivered. The card had been lost in the mails fourteen years.

### To Abolish Capital Punishment.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 1.—The senate passed a bill abolishing capital punishment for persons convicted of murder in the first degree, except where the conviction shall be for a second offense. The bill now goes to the house.

### Killed By Raw Peanuts.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 1.—Vernon Stettmund, aged 12 is dead in Chandler as a result of eating too many raw peanuts. A postmortem examination revealed some of the kernels whole in his stomach.

### CHRONIC CATARRH CURED.

The Remarkable Recovery of Mr. Megahan Unparalleled in Medical History.

Columbus, O., Feb. 1.—The case of Mr. Megahan, who has been cured of catarrh after suffering from the disease for thirty-five years, proves that this disease can be cured irrespective of climatic conditions. Mr. Megahan is connected with the United States Carriage company of this city.

Inhalations, vapors, creams and all similar remedies only irritated the disease. Being thoroughly disheartened, he sent to the Austrian dispensary, 32 West 25th street, New York City, for a free trial bottle of ascatco and after taking the remedy for six months, he was entirely cured. His advice to all sufferers from catarrh, asthma and bronchitis is to give the ascatco treatment a fair trial and be permanently cured.

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## BANKS WILLING TO PAY THEIR SHARE

But They Claim They Have Been Over-Taxed.

It Is Predicted That the Present Legislature Will Enact a New Law Soon.

### PADUCAH TO FEEL EFFECTS.

Local bankers were pleased with the decision of the court of appeals yesterday in which the court states that government bonds are exempt from taxation.

"We are willing to pay our just proportion of the taxes, but we have been burdened, under the present system of taxation," said a banker today. "Under this decision, all government bonds held by a bank are exempt from taxation, and we could, if we so desired, invest all our surplus money in bonds about September 1st, and this would be exempt from taxation, when time for the assessment arrived, September 15th. Of course this will not be done, and would not be permitted long, anyway, as new laws taxing the banks will no doubt be introduced in the present legislature. I believe the court of appeals rendered this decision when it did, to give this legislature time to prepare a new tax bill, and I think it will be done."

The local boards of supervisors will have to take about \$300,000 off the assessments against the local national banks, the City, American-German and First, and this will deprive the city, county and state of about \$10,000 revenues this year.

The bankers hope that something like the old Hewitt law will be passed by the legislature for the taxation of banks. Under this law the banks paid 75c on the \$100 on its capital, with an exemption, however, of 10 per cent. of its capital, and 47½c on the \$100 of surplus. This was an incentive for the banks to build up a surplus fund and made for solidarity of such institutions. Under the present taxation, the banks have been paying out most of their earnings in preference to piling up a surplus to be taxed as they have been, dollar for dollar. "We would be willing to pay \$1.50 per \$100 under a law similar to the Hewitt law," said a banker today. "This would be about what everyone else is paying."

### THE FOURTEENTH.

Business Woman's Club to Be Organized in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 1.—Miss Louis Lee Hardin, a former Kentuckian, but now a resident of Denver, Col., is in Louisville to organize a Kentucky Business Woman's League. The organization already has lodges in thirteen states, and Miss Hardin will break the spell of the "hoodoo" number by establishing the fourteenth in this state.

The organization will be perfected this evening. The object is to ameliorate the conditions of the working women and helping them to acquire a trade education while pursuing their ordinary vocations. Membership in the lodge will be transferable in the event that a member moves from one city to another.

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### Death at Central City.

Central City, Ky., Feb. 1.—Andrew Coffmann, a well-known, wealthy, retired farmer, of McLean county, died suddenly at his home in this city of cardiac asthma and heart trouble at the advanced age of seventy-five years.

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### MORE POSITIONS.

Are To Be Filled By The Government.

Announcement is made for examinations to be held in Paducah by the Civil Service commission for a variety of positions, most of which are well paid.

On February 20 and 21 examinations for draughtsman in the land office at several Western points will be held. The pay is \$4 a day. On February 21, the position of plant pathologist in the experiment station of the agricultural department at Mayaguez, Porto Rico, which pays \$1,200 a year, will be contested for, as will the position of statistical expert in the geological survey, at the same salary. Assayers and ore dressers in the geological survey and nautical experts are wanted and each position carries with it a salary of \$1,000 a year.

On February 26, 27 and 28, examinations will be held for the position of cadet in the revenue service. Railway clerks will be secured by an examination February 28, and as the service is in the Southwest, the examination is limited to citizens of Arizona, California, Idaho Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming.

### Itch—Ringworm.

E. T. Lucas, Wingo, Ky., writes April 25, 1902: "For 10 to 12 years I had been afflicted with a malady known as the 'itch.' The itching was most unbearable; I had tried for years to find relief, having tried all remedies I could hear of, besides a number of doctors. I wish to state that one single application of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me completely and permanently. Since then I have used the liniment on two separate occasions for ring worm and it cured completely. 25c, 50c and \$1 at Alvey & List's and G. C. C. Kolb's.

### Colored Couple Marry at Mayfield.

Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of C. Thomas, colored, on East Water street, Lona H. Carman, of the city, and Bane Barton, of Paducah, were joined in the sacred bonds of hymeneal bliss. Dr. D. H. Burkes officiated in the ceremony and the couple after being the recipients of showers of congratulations departed for Paducah, their future home. The bride is the daughter of Marshall Carman, a highly respected colored farmer north of the city.—Mayfield Messenger.

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### Transfer Man Ill.

Roy Webb, of the Palmer Transfer company, is confined to his room at Hotel Hall with a severe case of mumps. He will be unable to fill his position for a week or more.—Mayfield Messenger.

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### I. C. HOSPITAL BOARD.

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The regular quarterly meeting of the Illinois Central hospital association board is set for next week, and the board will probably discuss several important improvements at the hospital.

The reports of the hospital doctors will show an exceedingly mild winter, very little illness and but few accidents being reported. The winter so far has been very mild and

health generally has been good among the employees.

The matter of building a contagious ward or converting an out-building into such a ward, has never been definitely settled, and may be brought up for final and definite action at the meeting. The matter of beautifying the hospital yard this spring will also come up. There are walk outlines for the yard which have never been ordered made, and other similar improvements to be discussed.

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Personally appeared before me, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of December, 1905, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January 2, 1908.

## Daily Thoughts.

Have no mean hours; but be grateful for every hour, and accept what it brings.—Thoreau.

## OPPOSING MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT.

The city of Paducah now finds itself in a grotesque plight. Arrayed against one another are the general council the members of which advocate the best possible city government at the least possible cost, and the remnants of former administrations, who apparently want to hang on to every possible expense that affords any of its friends direct or indirect profit.

The Sun is a friend of the people, and has always been. Here at the beginning of the year, the mayor recommended improvements that would have completely absorbed a \$3 tax rate had it been possible to have one, and in another breath expressed the belief that the already outrageous tax rate could be reduced to \$1.55.

Then when the present boards attempted to reduce expenses, and give the people what they pay for, instead of requiring them to pay for a good many things they do not get, they are met with opposition and misrepresentation on every hand.

They attempt to cut down the appropriation for the police department and the first thing they know, they find a bill introduced in the legislature requiring second class cities to have not less than thirty patrolmen, whether they need them or not.

The object of this bill is plain, as it was introduced by the Democratic representative from Paducah, and as all the other second class cities already have more than thirty patrolmen, it is understood. It is not known who inspired this wonderful piece of legislation, as whoever did will probably not hasten to acknowledge the corn, but its only object is to add to the burden of Paducah taxpayers.

The new boards, whose only object as good business men, is to insure the people annual benefits commensurate with the amount of money they pay, attempt to give the people better street lights at less cost, and they find themselves confronted with obstacles on every hand, including those put in their way by the remnants of the aforesaid administration.

The joint light committee, in regard to the light question, desires simply to get the best lights at the lowest cost. It has announced its intention of doing nothing until it has thoroughly investigated the question from every standpoint, and it is trying to do this now. If it acts one way or the other, it will be able to show by facts and figures that can not be disputed, why it has acted, and that it has acted for the best interests of the people.

It was suggested a few nights ago that the committee go over the city books and find out exactly what the cost of operating the light plant has been for several years, and the mayor

agreed to have the committee meet and the books gone over. The committee met, but the mayor didn't show up, neither did the city clerk or auditor, who had the books locked up. A former city official who was to assist the light committee in getting the desired figures from the books, also failed to put in his appearance, and the committee had to disperse.

The clerk explained the next day that he could not come and that he preferred some one else to go over the books with him, other than the former official selected, so the committee informed the mayor that it would meet again that night with Prof. John D. Smith to assist in getting the figures they desired. This was agreed to but the committee and Prof. Smith found no one at the city hall that night to assist them. The books were locked up in the vaults and neither the mayor nor the clerk showed up. Thus the committee is forced to the conclusion that for some reason there is not a very enthusiastic desire on part of the mayor and others in his coterie to have the light committee get the facts and figures necessary in its work from the city books.

This is only one of the many instances of how certain officials are trying to prevent a reduction of city expenses by questionable methods. The reason is plain. First, if expenses are reduced and the public perceives no disadvantage in it, it will not look well for past administrations, and will be a feather in the cap of the new boards. Second, there is profit to some people in having a heavy municipal expense. Third, the city is taking care of quite a number of broken down politicians and other friends of past administrations, and any effort to lop off the graft is not thankfully received. Hence it is clear that some of the present city officials do not seek any reduction in expenses and consequently must want to continue to gouge the taxpayers.

The Sun has called attention to municipal extravagance from time to time in past years, and feels that the present attitude of many people on questions before the municipal boards, shows that the Sun has been right and is right now, and also demonstrates who are the real friends of the people.

The city now needs retrenchment more than ever, as the decision of the court of appeals yesterday in the bank tax cases will deprive the city of considerable revenue that had been counted on this year. It also means that in the future the city can get practically nothing from the banks if the latter desire to invest their capital and surplus in government securities, which they are sure to do in some cases, and which would mean further curtailment of expenses to meet annual expenses.

The Sun regrets that some officials and people, no doubt through prejudice and partisanship, take the stand they do against reform and retrenchment, and try to checkmate our local legislative boards in every good, conscientious move they make. The public is not going to be fooled long, however. It finally got on to some of the crowd, and is sure to get on to them all sooner or later. An earnest effort to improve local conditions is worthy of everyone's commendation and co-operation, regardless of politics or anything else, and those who are trying to hamper and harass the officials in their work are not friends to the people, and are standing in their own light.

The child labor law before the legislative committee at Frankfort is attracting more than passing notice, and it is impossible to forecast its fate. There are doubtless reasons why some of its provisions would benefit the people, but there are also reasons why others should be eliminated. For instance, it is not explained if children under 15 years of age are not permitted to work, and whose lot in life is such that they must work or become objects of charity or criminals, what they are expected to do. The compulsory education law is ignored in Kentucky, and many could not attend school if any effort were made to compel them to. Another unwise provision in the measure is that giving the state inspector the power to order out any machinery he may see fit to order out. No mechanic knows enough about all the various kinds of machinery used in manufacturing nowadays, to be able to judge whether or not any certain piece is unfit. Besides there is nothing to prevent the arbitrary power conferred in the bill from being abused, or becoming a prolific source of graft. There does not appear to be much use in passing new and more stringent child labor laws so long as those we have are not enforced.

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## G. J. LESHER DEAD.

Had for Many Years Been a Resident of McCracken County.

George J. Leshner, aged 64, died at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. C. W. Neacham, at 490 South Third street, this morning at 10 o'clock, of bowel complaint.

The deceased was born in Harrison county but had been a resident of this county since 1842. He was a farmer and lived in the country until a short time ago when his health broke and he came to town.

The deceased leaves a wife, step-daughter, four sisters and four brothers. Mr. C. B. Leshner, of the Clark livery stable, is a brother, and was out in the country today when news of the death of his brother reached him.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, interment at Oakland cemetery on the Benton road.

## BANKER WARRANTED.

For Receiving Deposits After the Bank Was Insolvent.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 1.—President T. B. Hancock, of the bank of Waddy, at Waddy, Ky., whose doors were closed last Thursday, has now been since that day, and a warrant was today issued for his arrest. He is charged with receiving deposits after he knew the bank was insolvent.

## Long Life Wished.

People say that old French gallantry is rapidly becoming a thing of the past. Those who are prone to forget thus our national traditions should take to heart this little lesson from the Hungarian poet, Jokai:

At a banquet given in his honor the poet thanked the ladies present, and ended with the words: "I drink to you, mesdames; may you live until my hair turns gray."

The ladies were startled, and hardly knew what to make of the strange compliment. Then Jokai, taking from his head a fine wig, revealed a head entirely bald. "My hair, as you see," he continued, "can never turn gray."—Paris Figaro.

## A Mob in Portugal.

Lisbon, Feb. 1.—On account of the archbishop desiring to displace a popular priest in Sabuga the entire populace revolted and broke windows in the public buildings. Soldiers were sent to restore order and the excited people met them with showers of stones. The troops fired into the mob, killing seven and wounding many others, when their ammunition was exhausted. The whole population was overwhelmed and the soldiers compelled them to retire.

## Becomes Traveling Auditor.

D. E. Woods, of Decatur, Ill., has been promoted from traveling auditor for the Illinois Central to special traveling auditor, with headquarters in Chicago.

—The local police have been asked to look out for James Hurdle, a fifteen-year-old boy, and son of Jas. Hurdle, of Trezevant, Tenn., who is supposed to have taken an N. C. & St. L. train at Paris, Tenn., last evening for Paducah. Officers Hurley and Singery searched the train when it arrived, but the boy was not aboard.

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## A Constable Appointed.

Thos. B. Langdon was appointed constable for the third district this afternoon.

Wright—"You say he wrote jokes to keep the wolf from the door?" Pennman—"Yes, but I guess the wolf don't recognize them as jokes."

Sometimes it's the shortest man who can hand out the tallest talk.

## MAYFIELD GIRL WAS DESPONDENT

Letters Indicate She Was "Blue" and Unhappy.

She Was Finally Found Working in Louisville Hotel as Chambermaid Today.

## COULDN'T PASS EXAMINATION

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 1.—Miss Lura Davidson, the Mayfield girl who disappeared from the Sue Bennett Memorial School at London, Ky., last Friday, was found yesterday at the Louisville hotel, where she was employed in the capacity of a chambermaid. She will today be sent back to school, from which she fled because she was unable to pass an examination in arithmetic. As soon as her whereabouts were discovered Miss Davidson was taken in charge by her aunt, Mrs. Belle Chester, of 1677 Maiden Lane. Mrs. Chester informed the college authorities of the girl's recovery.

The girl was very despondent over her failure at school, and when she left left the following notes, the first to her schoolmates:

"Girls: Tell them to make no attempt to find me, for I will likely not be found. You will all doubtless think I am not a virtuous girl, as that is usually the thought when girls leave suddenly. But my God knows I am as far from anything of that kind as anyone could be. Doubtless you will never know why I leave. Then followed some instructions of what to tell the various teachers and of what disposition to make of her belongings.

A letter she left for her sister, Miss Abbey Davidson, is as follows: "My Darling Sister: I may never see you again in this world and God only knows the anguish it causes me to write these words. I know you all will think strange of my going away. But never think I'm not a virtuous girl, for God knows I am. Do not look for me, as I will likely never be found.

"My mind is blighted. I cannot learn. Oh, sorrow of all sorrows, this is the worst one. My heart is breaking. I had bright hopes once, but alas, they are gone. "I'm leaving word for them to send my trunk to you. You both wear my clothes and enjoy them if you can, for I cannot. "The joy of my life is gone. You write Bro. Connell for me, I can't. He sent me a pretty little pin with his monogram on it. It is in the trunk. You can wear it. I'll take my pocket. "My prayers will always be that God may take care of you. Give Lizzie and Rob my love, also grandma and grandpa. Be good girls, and if we never meet again in this world we will meet in heaven. God knows I love you with all my heart. With bleeding heart I say good-bye."

Mr. Connell is studying for the ministry and last summer was a visitor at the Coulter home, four and one-half miles from Mayfield, and Mr. Connell urged marriage. The girl once showed a picture of Mr. Connell and said that she was going to study hard so that she could help him in his work when they were married.

"She is the daughter of Dr. A. A. Davidson, who was an oculist of no little local reputation and who died in 1894. Her mother died the year after and Miss Lura Davidson, with her two younger sisters, Miss Abbey and Miss Willie, have been reared by their grandparents, who live on a farm near Mayfield. When she left London she was dressed in a black skirt and a plaid waist. She wore a gray, three-quarter length coat and a gray hat. She also carried a grip, a telescope, I think it was, with her. I am sure she was coming to me and am greatly worried lest she may have met serious evil. We will keep up the search for her until we find her. She hasn't much money. The fare from London to Louisville is \$4.72 and that would only leave her a few dimes when she got to Louisville."

## FRANCHISE ASSIGNED.

General Manager Bleecker Turns Light Franchise to Paducah Light and Power Co.

The franchise sold by the city last October for furnishing power and lights was assigned today by John S. Bleecker, who purchased it at the sale, to The Paducah Light and Power Co., and the mayor was today notified of the assignment.

Mr. Bleecker is manager of the company and this is merely a formal assignment of the franchise to the corporation it was intended for.

—The Mechanics' Building and Loan Association will lend you money to build your house at 6 per cent. F. M. Fisher, secretary.

## For Lung Troubles

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral certainly cures hard coughs, hard colds, bronchitis, consumption. And it certainly strengthens weak throats and weak lungs. There can be no mistake about this. Your own doctor will say so. Just ask him about it, then do as he says. We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

## NO ADVANCE

SAY THE OPERATORS IN THEIR DEMAND TO MINERS.

Joint Scale Committee Now in Session—Indefinite Adjournment Likely.

Indianapolis, Feb. 1.—The miners joint scale committee went into executive session this morning to consider the proposition submitted by the operators Wednesday evening. It is doubtful if an agreement will be reached, but if not but one course is probable, the indefinite adjournment of the conference.

F. L. Robbins, of Pittsburg, speaking for the operators, yesterday declared that the operators stood positively and determinedly against any advance whatever. The operators of the Southwestern district united with the operators of the Central district in caucus and both agreed to stand by the position taken by Mr. Robbins.

The operators at the late afternoon session of the joint scale committee of the Central district presented their demand, which was that the present scale stand. The committee then took an adjournment.

## SOMETHING UNUSUAL.

Tribe of Ben Hur Sent Out Receipts for Dues.

Court No. 4, Tribe of Ben Hur, today did something probably unprecedented in the history of organizations of this kind. It sent out, through its local officers, receipts to all the local members for their dues and assessments for February and March.

This was done because there was found to be a surplus on hand, and while it could have been spent for a banquet, it was deemed best to spend it in this way. Mr. R. C. Davis is chief, and Mr. Fred Roth secretary of the local tribe.

## DELEGATES LEAVE

To Appear Against Proposed Legislation.

J. C. Flournoy, J. D. Mocquot, W. F. Hammel and T. B. Harrison, the committee appointed by the local manufacturers to go to Frankfort in the interest of some legislation before the legislature, left last night. Mr. George Walters also went up, in the interest of the local unions.

## Small Suit for Rent.

Justice Charles Emery is this afternoon trying the case of the Red Cross Laundry company against Sam Simon, colored, for rent alleged to be due. The alleged debt is \$25 and an attachment was run on property of Simon. The laundry is located at Seventh and Adams.

## Subscribe for The Sun.

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## Hot Tomato Bouillon

## Hot Vigaral

Are the peer of hot drinks. We serve only the best.

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## SALOONKEEPER IS NOT HELD IN FAULT

If Bartender Disobeys Orders and Violates Sabbath.

If Saloon Keeper Himself is Not, Neither is Latter's Bondsman.

## THIS OPINION RENDERED TODAY

Circuit Judge William Reed this morning rendered his opinion in the suit for \$1,000 forfeiture of bond of the city of Paducah against J. L. Jones, a saloon keeper at Eleventh and Burnett streets, and his bondsman, Messrs. Lee and Adolph Weil. He decided the case in favor of the defense. The decision did not have any direct bearing on the validity of the city ordinance involved in the action, although the city brought the suit with the double intention of testing the ordinance and collecting the bond for the alleged violation of the ordinance.

Jones ran a saloon in the city and his bartender one Sunday sold liquor without the knowledge or consent of the proprietor. Jones was arraigned in police court and his bartender fined for the offense. The city brought suit to compel the bondsmen to pay the bond given to insure that Jones would keep within the limits of the law.

The court holds that the bondsmen could not be held responsible in this particular case because the evidence showed plainly that the man whose surety they were was not aware that his bartender had sold goods on Sunday, and repudiated the act. Under the evidence the court could not find for the plaintiff.

Judge Reed stated that he thought the ordinance compelling a forfeiture of bond in event of a violation of the Sunday closing law valid, but had his doubts about it. As it was not up to him in this case to pass on the ordinance, he would have nothing to say about it, as all the court could decide in this case was whether or not a saloon keeper is liable for the unauthorized acts of his bartender, and if the saloon keeper is not responsible or liable, if his bondsmen can be. The court decided that the saloon proprietor could no more be made responsible for what his bartender does if it is without the knowledge or consent of the saloon keeper and especially when directly contrary to orders, as in this case, than the proprietor would be if the bartender went out somewhere and killed a man or broke into a store. And if the saloon keeper himself is not responsible, his bondsmen certainly could not be.

This case has attracted a great deal of attention because it was generally presumed the city had brought it in the nature of a test of the ordinance. Had Jones himself been guilty of the act of selling, the case would have been different and possibly might have called forth an opinion from the court on the validity of the ordinance.

Attorneys Rose and Grice represented the defense, and City Solicitor James Campbell, Jr., the plaintiff.

## REV. JOHN S. CHEEK

Goes to Hot Springs, Ark., to Spend Ten Days or Longer.

Rev. John S. Cheek, pastor of the First Baptist church, where a revival has been in progress for several weeks, left yesterday for Hot Springs, Ark., to spend ten days recuperating. Rev. Cheek has been one of the hardest workers in the meeting, and his health became so that it was deemed advisable to have him take a rest.

It was suggested that the meeting close, but Rev. Cheek was not willing to have it end at present, and it is understood Rev. Cates has promised to remain at least until Rev. Cheek returns. Whether or not to longer continue it, will then be decided.

## Revenue Collections.

Stamp Deputy L. L. Bebout reports a very good month in January. He collected a total of \$10,364.13 and issued stamps for 841 barrels of whisky.

## County Court.

Miss C. Robertson today qualified as a notary public.

—Tomorrow is "Ground Hog" day. Will he see his shadow?

Proof of one's temper is the loss thereof.



## THESE ARE THE PRICES ON ALL SUITS

SALE BEGAN THIS MORNING AND  
CONTINUES TILL SUITS ARE SOLD



This cut indicates a great sacrifice and only when you see the values we offer will you be able to appreciate it.

We are firm in our convictions and say now, as before, no winter goods shall be in our store for the coming season if low prices will sell them.

**\$40.00** Blue, Red and Black Broadcloth Suits with straps, best of cloths, linings of good taffeta silk; can be had Thursday morning for **\$15.00**

**\$30.00** Green, Blue, Red or Black Suits, in fine cloths with best of linings; will be sold Thursday morning at the ridiculously low price of **\$12.50**

**\$27.50** and **\$25.00** Fine Tailored Suits, any color, any style we have or in any cloth they come in; will be sold Thursday morning for **\$10.00**

**\$20.00** and **\$15.00** Suits in size or color in any range of cloth or in any style; can be had Thursday morning for **\$7.50**

Special prices on Cloaks and Furs

### LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.  
—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 209 Fraternity building.  
—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—The regular meeting of Central Labor Union will take place tonight and the standing committees will probably be appointed by the newly elected president, Mr. Charles Hart. Engraved cards and plate \$1.25 at The Sun office.

—Alderman W. T. Miller has recovered the gold watch stolen from him a few days ago on an I. C. train. The timepiece had been pawned at Cairo.

—Sign and carriage painting. G. R. Sexton, both phones, 401.

—The joint finance committee of the general council will meet tomorrow night at the city hall to check over accounts against the city, to be presented and allowed at the regular meeting of the board next week.

—Dr. Griffith has removed his office from rooms 1 and 2 to rooms 5 and 6 Trueheart building.

—Mayor Yeiser has appointed Mr. Charles Evertz, of St. Louis, electrical inspector temporarily in place of William Gilsdorf, who has gone to Louisville to take a position as inspector and rate maker for the state board of underwriters.

—Carbon paper, typewriter paper and typewriter ribbons—the very best at the lowest prices at R. D. Clements & Co.

—The new dry kiln for the Paducah Cooperage company has been completed and is again in use. It takes the place of the one burned several months ago. The report that Mr. V. J. Blow was to buy out his associated, Messrs. Kilgore and Hollingshead, is denied.

—The Mechanics' Building and Loan Association will lend you money to build your house at 6 per cent. F. M. Fisher, secretary.

—The \$10,000 damage suit to be filed by Capt. Frank Farnsley, of Paducah, against officials of New

Madrid, Mo., has been prepared and will shortly be filed in the federal court at Cape Girardeau. Capt. Farnsley, who is master of the Beavers, was grossly mistreated by the officers, who were trying to enforce quarantine regulations.

—All kinds cut flowers and floral designs at Brunson's.

—Do not fail to read the new story which begins in the Sun today. "Hesper" is one of the very best that Hamlin Garland has ever written. It is a good, wholesome, western love story, and one we think all of our readers will like.

—Detectives Moore and Baker have received from Detective Bugle, of Chicago, copies of "The Detective" for two years back. The books contain pictures of many criminals, and will prove very valuable to the officers. They found in looking through the books a picture of Devine, the young man they arrested here recently for alleged embezzlement at Chicago, and who was taken back by Detective Bugle. There is also a picture of Pete Richardson, the man sent up for three years here for stealing a diamond from the late H. C. Allison during a carnival several years ago. Richardson went to Hot Springs from here, and was arrested and taken to Nashville to finish serving a sentence.

—The thirty-ninth series of the Mechanics' Building and Loan Association is on sale. It pays 10 per cent if allowed to run to maturity, 10 1/2 years, or 6 per cent on withdrawal. F. M. Fisher, Secretary.

—The condition of Deputy United States Marshal George Saunders at Mayfield is reported better.

—We desire to inform all of having bought the business of Mr. Ashbrook and hope for a continuance of the liberal patronage accorded him, guaranteeing all satisfaction and appreciation. Abram L. Weil & Co.

—D. Randolph, the young man who fell from a moving freight train near Wingo Saturday night and broke a leg and arm, is said to be improving, and that amputation of a leg will not be necessary. He is a painter and well known in this city.

—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Hays, at 3 o'clock at Hotel Craig.

—E. D. Hannan has gone to Paris, Tenn., to bid on installing a steam heating plant and making the sewerage connections for a new college to be erected this spring. This part of the work will cost about \$10,000.

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—Mr. Ben Pines, foreman of the Jackson Foundry and Machine shops, went to Eddyville today at noon to look over the Corliss engine at the state penitentiary and make a bid on the repair work. The big engine is to be repaired shortly.

#### Notice.

All persons wishing to go to Mardi Gras on the steamer Charleston, leaving here on Feb. 8th, will please notify me on or about the 5th, as the staterooms are limited. Phone 1155-R, or 1864.

FRANK WAGNER, Owner.

Invitations and wedding announcements are a specialty of The Sun's job department with prices lower

### People and Pleasant Events

#### As You Like It Club.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Flournoy will entertain with a card party this evening at their home on West Jefferson boulevard, in honor of the As You Like It club.

#### D. A. R. To Meet Friday.

The February meeting of the Paducah chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be with the regent, Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells, at the Empire flats on Broadway, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. It will be a patriotic meeting in honor of George Washington's birth month. The quotation will be from Washington, and the papers will be in touch with his life.

#### Kirmess Will Be a May Festival.

It has been decided by the local U. D. C. chapter not to have the Kirmess until April or May; and have it then as a May festival. Prof. Mahler will go from here to El Paso, Tex., and return later to arrange for the kirmess.

It is to be given for the benefit of the Confederate monument fund and will be a very big thing in the setting and brilliancy.

#### Pretty Afternoon Card Party.

Mrs. William B. McPherson entertained very charmingly at cards yesterday afternoon at her home on Fountain avenue. The married ladies' prize was taken by Mrs. Chas. Kigor and the young ladies' prize by Miss Faith Langstaff. The lone hand prize was won by Mrs. James P. Smith. An attractive luncheon was served after the game.

Mrs. McPherson is giving the second of her series of card parties this afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Mitchell, of Shawnee, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Grimm, of No. 607 South Ninth street.

Mr. Lloyd Rogers, of the Paducah Traction company, who has been acting in the capacity of transfer clerk on the streets here, has been assigned to an office position. Mr. Ed Lawless has been made the transfer clerk.

Mr. L. E. Pettit went to Princeton this morning on business.

Mrs. F. D. Reader, who has been visiting in Elkhart, Ky., arrived last night and will remain in Paducah a few days before going to St. Louis.

Mrs. J. L. Brandon has returned from Pembroke, Ky., where she has been on a visit.

Mr. F. D. Reader has returned from Chicago, where he had gone on business. He is considering opening up a restaurant in Paducah. He was formerly in charge of the I. C. lunch stand at the local passenger depot.

Mrs. O. J. Ford has returned from Palestine, Texas, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Isaac Dallam.

John Woolfolk has gone to Memphis to accept a position with the Memphis Furniture company.

Mrs. Mary Williams, of Clay street, who has been critically ill, is improving.

Mrs. Samuel Dalton, of Walnut, is expected today to visit Mrs. Samuel Boyd, of South Ninth street.

Mrs. T. L. Whitworth, of Springfield, Tenn., is expected today to visit Mrs. Samuel Boyd, of South Ninth street.

Mr. Leslie Rawlins, the cigar-maker, of Kalamazoo, Mich., is here for a visit to relatives.

Rev. J. E. Skinner, of Murray, has returned home after visiting his brother, Mr. John Skinner.

Mrs. J. M. Walton has gone to Moscow, Ky., to visit relatives.

County Clerk George Landrum, of Smithland, is in the city.

Mr. William Leech, of Cripple Creek, Col., is expected this week en route to New York. This will be his first visit here in eight years.

Mr. Saunders Fowler has returned from Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt, will leave Saturday for Henderson to make their future home. Mr. Schmidt is chief auditor for the Henderson Brewery company.

Miss Minnie Souder, of the railroad hospital, has gone to St. Louis to attend the alumni banquet of the St. Louis training school for nurses.

Miss Blanche Shelbourne, of the nurse corps at Riverside hospital, has resigned, and this morning left for her home in Wickliffe to visit her parents. She will give up her profession.

Mrs. James P. Laffey, of Cincinnati, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Budd, 739 Broadway.

Jos. L. Friedman and George H. Goodman went to Jackson, Tenn., yesterday to attend a meeting of the stockholders of the company at Jackson.

R. W. Walker, who has been ill, of fever at the I. C. railroad hospital, was able to sit up today.

Mr. William Gilsdorf, formerly city electrical inspector, but now inspector for the state board of under-

writers, left at noon for Louisville to report for duty to the board.

Mrs. J. B. Scruggs, of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meadows.

Miss Myra Nolen, of Tulsa, I. T., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William V. Green, at Cochran's apartments has gone to Union City, Tenn., to visit her mother.

Mrs. Irvin McArthur, of Lapeer, Mich., and Miss Leone Kessell, of Pontiac, Mich., will arrive Sunday to visit the family of Mr. W. J. Hills.

J. K. Hendrick leaves tonight for Mayfield on business connected with the Reeves Grocery Co., of Mayfield, bankruptcy case.

O. C. Lasher, editor of the Smithland Banner, of Smithland, and wife were in the city today en route East on their bridal tour. They were married at Smithland last night and Mrs. Lasher was Miss Josephine Presnell, daughter of M. B. Presnell. Mrs. Cordia Presnell accompanied them to Paducah.

Enol L. Moore, of Chicago, a very prominent civil engineer is in the city today. Mr. Moore was the engineer in charge of the construction of the iron furnaces at Grand Rivers when they were erected.

Manager Thos. W. Roberts, of The Kentucky, leaves tonight for Nashville for a few days.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jo Shelby, 432 South Eighth street, yesterday, a girl baby.

## IN THE COURTS

### Circuit Court.

Circuit Judge Reed began calling his equity docket this morning and set many cases. Few actions of importance were taken this morning.

### Case Was Dismissed.

The case against A. S. Miller, of the county, for the alleged disposal of mortgaged property, was yesterday afternoon dismissed in Justice Emery's court. The warrant was taken out by the Parlin-Orendorff company, which sold the defendant some farming implements, and took a mortgage on a cow and mule. The latter died and the company jumped at the conclusion that the property had been illegally disposed of, and secured the warrant. The defendant yesterday proved that both cow and mule died, and the warrant was dismissed.

### County Court.

J. W. Egester, aged 33, colored, a lawyer, and Victoria Richey, were yesterday afternoon licensed to wed. It will make the second marriage for both.

Mary E. Morgan deeds to E. K. Bonds for \$2,000, property near First and Clark streets.

### Sues for Maintenance.

Linzie A. Champion this morning filed suit against her husband, Wm. F. Champion, for \$2,000 maintenance and alimony for herself and child. They were married in June, 1896, and separated in December, 1899. She alleges that he abandoned her and has refused to support her and her infant child. She alleges that he had property well worth several thousand dollars.

### Police Court.

There were but two cases on the police court docket this morning and both were dismissed.

Thomas Waynick and Ollie Bryant, white, residents of the South Side, were arraigned on a charge of rudultry. The warrant was issued at the instance of the woman's husband. The two had been separated for some time. The evidence failed to show that she had been guilty as charged, and the warrant was dismissed.

Vel Patterson, colored, was dismissed of the charge of breach of the peace.

### SEL COCHRAN

Is Said to Have Been Located—  
Requisition for Him.

State House, Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—Gov. Beckham has made requisition on the governor of Louisiana for the return to this state of Sel Cochran, a fugitive from justice, wanted in Calloway county to answer to the charge of double murder. The crime was committed ten years ago, and according to Senator Conn Linn, of Calloway, was most atrocious. Cochran killed a young man named Storey and a deputy sheriff named Kelly. Cochran and Storey were paying attention to the daughter of Kelly, and Kelly favored the suit of Storey. Cochran met Storey out driving with the young woman and engaged him in a quarrel, and is alleged to have killed him in her presence. The killing took place within a few hundred yards of the Kelly home, and the father of the girl was attracted by the sound of the firing. He ran to the scene only to be shot and instantly killed. It is alleged, by Cochran. The daughter, who witnessed both killings, is still living in Calloway, and Senator Linn says Cochran will be vigorously prosecuted.

# Did Luck Hit YOU?

## 1141

Is the lucky number. It draws a range or a heating stove or a watch with 20-year gold plated case.

WHICH ONE WILL YOU TAKE?

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### TIPS.

The difference between what you did pay and what you should have paid for "things" in your recent shopping is probably enough to make it worth while for you to read the store ads. hereafter.

MITCHELL'S for high-grade bicycles. 326 South Third.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 304 N. Sixth. Old phone 1114.

FOR SALE—One bed, one dressing table, Mrs. Dicke, Phone 1724.

HEATING and stovewood, Frank Levin, both phones, 437.

UMBRELLA repairing and covering neatly done, 108 1/2 S. Third St.

GOOD HEATING WOOD phone Sander Brooks. Phone 1347-m, old.

WANTED—A good cook. Apply at 705 Kentucky avenue.

FOR SALE—Good, young, medium size horse. Apply to Jno. Dipple, care Rhodes-Burford.

LOST—Black bead necklace with locket. Return to Hawkins Bros. and receive reward.

FOR RENT—Cottage, 431 South Sixth street. Modern conveniences. Apply 438 South Sixth.

CALL AT Harrell's grocery and get your groceries cheap for cash, 128 S. Second St. Old phone 1155-a.

FOR RENT—5-room house, 626 North Sixth St. Apply 319 North Sixth for information.

FOR RENT—Office suitable for doctor. Third and Tennessee streets. Phone 222.

WANTED—50 girls; steady employment. Paducah Box and Basket Co.

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young lady. Address this office, X.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, excellent baths. No. 626 Kentucky Ave.

FOR RENT—7-room house, 722 Harrison St. Apply 1719 Harrison street.

FOR SALE—Good second-hand calligraph typewriter cheap. Address R. U. J., care Sun.

FOR SALE—Spring wagons and buggies comparatively new, at bargain price. Sexton's Sign Works, 16th and Madison. Old phone 401.

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage, cheap to small family. Grates and water inside. Apply 624 Husband St. or ring old phone 2275.

WANTED—Bright boy, 15 or 16 years old, who wants to learn the printing business. E. E. Sutherland Med. Co.

WANTED—A man that understands slaughter house work. Colored man with family preferred. Apply to Jake Biederman Grocery and Baking Co.

WANTED—A home by a nice young lady in small family of wealthy people or well-to-do people. Address A. F., care of the Paducah Sun.

J. E. MORGAN, blacksmith, 409 S. Third. Old phone 457. Superior work guaranteed. Exclusive agent for floor stone side wire tires, the best rubber tire made.

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS—Black Locust and Mulberry posts at sawed post prices, delivered to any point in city. Send order to Sun office or A. J. Atchison.

LOST—Gentleman's gold watch, inside engraved "P. O. J. 1889," between Petter's boat store and the wharf. Finder return to Meyers, Schmid, Clark & Co. and receive reward.

FOR SALE—My farm on Cairo road, 6 miles from town; 226 acres, will sell a part or all, to suit buyer. Apply to me at my farm or to T. J. Atkins at the German National Bank, Gee J. Jones.

FOR RENT—The Inn, on North Seventh street, with all modern conveniences. A first-class boarding house or rooms will be rented, one or more, to suit the renter. Apply Dr. J. G. Brooks.

PUBLIC NOTICE—If your horse, cow, mule, hog or dog dies, notify us while they are fresh and we will move it free of charge. We also carry an assortment of horses and mules for sale or exchange, broke or unbroke. We buy and sell. Western horses a specialty. Office and stable 325 North Third. Old phone 454-r. Gent & Elliott, Paducah, Ky.

FOR SALE—Beautiful new cottage near 12th street car line in Northview; part cash, balance monthly; or very cheap for one half cash, balance six, twelve, eighteen months. Northview Realty and Improvement Co. By W. D. Greer, General Mgr.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY—Able bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, New Richmond house, Paducah, Ky.

WHY worry about getting carriages and baggage wagons when you can ring up Palmer Transfer company any hour day or night and get prompt service at a price as low as the lowest. They are not only responsible and reliable but can make it to your interest in many ways to do business with them. They keep on hand special fine carriages for theaters, balls, weddings and funeral services. Give them your order.

Mr. Ralph Warren, of the Warren jewelry store, will go to Gulfport, Miss., tomorrow to reside. He has secured a position with a leading jeweler.

## SOULE'S BALM

FOR THE SKIN

## SOULE'S LIVER CAPSULES

For Torpid Liver and Malaria

We have obtained from Mrs. Bettie Soule the privilege to make and sell these well known and excellent preparations and now offer them in their original form, as introduced and sold for years by the late Dr. Nelson Soule.

25c each

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Be healthy, buoyant, elastic in spirit, body and mind. You can't if you are constipated. Cure that disease.

Got Constipation?—Chase it.  
Cast off the lethargy and be alive!  
Beware the Daily Pill Habit!  
Take the famous remedy THAT CURES—

## Chase's Constipation Tablets

Velvets

In watch-shape bottles that fit vest pocket, 25 cents. Your Druggist or  
THE CHASE MFG. CO., Newburgh, N. Y.

## KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

### This Sounds Fishy.

Danville, Ky., Feb. 1.—Dogs killed \$500 worth of imported sheep belonging to Mack Wallace last night on the outskirts of Danville. Over 1,000 head of sheep have been killed by dogs in Boyle county during the past four months.

### To Complete the Levee.

Hickman, Ky., Feb. 1.—The river commission has agreed to expend \$10,000 toward completing the Hickman and Tiptonville, Tenn., levee upon condition that the amount will be sufficient or that the citizens will make up what is lacking.

### Death in Christian.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 1.—Nancy C. Guthrie, wife of John J. Guthrie, of Sinking Fork, died of a complication of diseases, aged eighty-five years. She is survived by her husband and six children. She had been a member of the Baptist church nearly seventy years.

### I. C. to Have Belt Line.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 1.—The Illinois Central company has contracted for grading a belt line road from the Tennessee Central division traversing the southern part of the city and connecting with the Louisville & Nashville road. This means about \$50,000 worth of other improvements at once.

### Killed Himself and Wife.

Sparta, Ky., Feb. 1.—William Taylor, a young man, aged twenty-two years, shot and instantly killed his wife and then shot and mortally wounded himself at the home of his father-in-law, Morton Baker, of this city. Taylor had been married since November. Both are of prominent families.

### A New Seduction Law.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—Senator Ecton and his friends are elated over the passage of his bill in the senate today, even though it was slightly amended. The bill provides that if a man is convicted of seduction he shall marry the girl and live with her three years, or go to the penitentiary. The amendment provides that he may leave her if he has statutory grounds for a divorce. Heretofore the law has allowed any

one so convicted to marry the girl and immediately leave the state. The reform has been urged by Geo. L. Sehon and others and will probably go through the house.

### Small Fire at Mayfield.

Mayfield, Ky., Feb. 1.—The large stable on the property of James A. Wright, adjoining the college ground burned yesterday. Mr. O'Neil was conducting a crude oil experiment in the building and a pipe burst, letting the oil flow over the floor, from which a blaze started. The loss of contents and building will perhaps reach \$700.

### Police Chief's Bereavement.

Madisonville, Ky., Feb. 1.—After a severe illness extending over a period of three months death ended the sufferings of Mrs. Eunice Fannie Brown, the mother of Police Chief Ashley Brown. Mrs. Brown was 59 years of age and her death was due to a complication of diseases that baffled the skill of the attending physicians.

### His Son May Be a Victim.

Morganfield, Ky., Feb. 1.—Judge A. W. Clements, of Morganfield, believes his son, B. J. Clements, was lost in the Valencia wreck. Young Clements was nineteen years of age. He left Louisville November 15 and has not been heard of since. A press report of the victims of the disaster contains the name of J. B. Clements and Judge Clements thinks it is his son.

### Killed His Step Father.

Corbin, Ky., Feb. 1.—James Adkins, forty years old, was shot and almost instantly killed by his stepson, William Turner, sixteen years old. After the shooting young Turner walked to the city hall and surrendered.

Turner said he did the shooting in self-defense, as his stepfather was coming at him with an open knife. The weapon used was a single-barreled shotgun loaded with a heavy charge of bird shot.

Adkins was less than three feet from the muzzle of the gun when Turner fired, and the charge tore a frightful hole in Adkins' body. The wounded man only lived about five minutes after the shooting. In the house where the killing was done there was no disorder. Adkins' body was on the floor. A big clasp knife was in the right hand.

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Ordinance Ordered to Improve Nineteenth Street to Mayfield Road.

### BOARD OF WORKS MEETING

City Solicitor James Campbell yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of the board of public works informed the members that the city could not legally spend public funds for keeping up any streets except those accepted by the city. The question came up in regard to alleged streets through some of the suburban additions, which the city had never accepted, and was asked to keep in repair.

An ordinance was ordered submitted to the legislative boards providing for the improvement of Nineteenth street from Broadway to the Mayfield road.

Market Master Frank Smedley was instructed to see that no one occupies benches at the market house except those to whom they are rented. The board does not intend to permit benches sub-rented, as it would encourage speculation in the market benches.

Supt. J. G. Keebler, of the city light plant, reported to the board that a worn brush on machine which an electric company desires to purchase, is worth about \$350. The city recently sold one to the same company.

Street Inspector Elliott was instructed to buy sixty more loads of gravel, and Sewer Inspector Franke was authorized to buy a suction pump for use on sewerage mains.

The city engineer was instructed to investigate a complaint from people residing near Fourteenth and Monroe streets of bad drainage, also of water that accumulates between Madison, Harrison, Third and Fourth streets.

The fence along the fill at Bradshaw's creek, on West Broadway, was ordered repaired.

A ditch was ordered repaired near Fountain avenue and Jefferson streets and charged to the street car company and property owners, which ever is found to be responsible.

Mr. W. E. Cochran reported that he had long ago paid for connections, but that pipes had not been laid from the sanitary sewerage to his property near Second and Kentucky avenue, and he asked that the city attend to it, as private property has to be crossed to reach that of Mr. Cochran. The street inspector was instructed to attend to the matter.

The street inspector reported that the use of the street roller to furnish steam for heating Riverside hospital had damaged the roller very little.

### Notice.

Fairbanks, Morse & Co. vs. Gasoline

Boat-White Oak, in admiralty: Whereas, A libel was filed in the district court of the United States for the western district of Kentucky, at Paducah, on the 10th day of January, 1906, by Fairbanks, Morse & Co. against the boat White Oak, her engines, tackle, apparel, furniture, etc., alleging in substance that said boat was indebted to them in the sum of \$1,524.52 for supplies, machinery, etc., furnished said boat. That said boat as justly indebted to them in said sum and that same has never been paid, and prayed process against said boat White Oak, her engines, tackle, apparel, furniture, etc., and said boat be condemned and sold to pay said claim with all cost and expenses.

Now, therefore, in pursuance to the monition under seal of said court to me directed I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming the said boat White Oak, or in any manner interested therein, that they be and appear in the district court of the United States in the city of Paducah, Ky., on or before the 5th day of March, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to interpose their claims and to make their allegations in that behalf.

GEO. W. LONG, U. S. M. W. K. D.  
By GEO. W. SAUNDERS, Deputy.

### New Church in Marshall.

Benton, Ky., Feb. 1.—A new church is to be built in Marshall county a few miles from the Graves county line, at Pleasant Grove. The contract has been let to R. G. Treas, of Benton, and the structure is to be concrete and will cost over \$2,000. This will be the only stone church of the kind in Marshall county.

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## THE CONCLAVE

RECALLED BY SUITS FILED AT LOUISVILLE.

Balance Claimed for Material Furnished the K. of P.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 1.—An echo from the Knights of Pythias' conclave held here in August, 1904, comes with suits filed by claimants for unpaid accounts for goods furnished the biennial association. J. M. Robinson, Norton & Co. sued for \$1,357.64, and Palmer & Hardin for \$339.99. The defendants to the actions are the Knights of Pythias; Daniel Boone lodge, No. 2; Clay lodge, No. 1; Uhlend lodge, No. 4, and Mystic lodge, No. 1.

The suit of J. M. Robinson, Norton & Co. is for blankets and other camp paraphernalia supplied to the camp in Fontaine Ferry park during the encampment.

The total indebtedness amounted to \$30,000, and of the claims as yet unsettled, which will become subjects of litigation if the suits in question are decided so as to support the contentions of law advanced, there is a total of \$10,000.

The original contractual obligations were entered into by the Biennial association, but as that organization is insolvent, it is sought to hold the branch organizations liable on the ground that the conclave was brought here on their invitation and with the assurance of material financial aid from them.

It is alleged that the Knights of Pythias were invited here during the San Francisco conclave, and that it was expected that from 20,000 to 25,000 men would camp in Fontaine Ferry park. As a matter of fact, it is asserted, only about 3,800 were in camp and the fund of \$50,000 expected for bearing the expenses did not grow beyond \$25,000.

Though the Biennial association was economical it failed to make both ends meet. Of the claims outstanding about \$6,000 are admitted as debts while about \$3,500 worth are disputed.

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### CHAPTER I.

N EARLY the entire boat load of passengers was jammed along the forward gates, ready to spring out upon the Jersey wharf, restive to reach the waiting trains, but quite apart from all these whose faces were set westward three people—a girl, a man wearing forty and a slim lad—lingered on the after deck as though loath to take their leave of the imperial city.

The resemblance of the monstrous hive of humankind to a beight of land was so marked, so singular, that the girl remarked upon it, and the boy, a pale lad of seventeen, cried out in shrill staccato:

"Yes; but think of the real mountains we're going to climb!"

The girl did not speak for a moment, and when she did her voice was distinctly sorrowful. "I feel as though I were saying goodbye to everything worth while."

"Including me?" asked her escort.

She did not smile, but her accent was kindly as she answered, "Yes, Wayne, including you."

"Oh, sis, you make me tired!" cried the boy. "Just as if going west were bidding goodbye to everything!" He bent his thin chest. "I'm just beginning to live now. I'm glad to get away from the stuffy old town. I want to see something besides Fifth avenue and Central park."

Wayne Peabody laughed good naturedly down at the boy. "You wouldn't care if civilization did stop at the west bank of the Hudson river, would you?"

"I should say not. I'm tired of it all—the noise and the pavements and the heat and the wetness. I want to get out where the wolves and the cranes and the cowboys are; I want to hit the trail and find where father's camps were."

The girl spoke musingly. "It's singular, but I have a premonition of some dark fate—some vague sorrow. I never felt so before—not even on my trip to Egypt. If I don't come back I want you to note that I was forewarned. Let's go forward."

Peabody remarked in a low voice: "Louis is transformed already. It will do him all kinds of good to go west."

"I hope so," she replied rather drearily, "but he seems unwholesomely excited at the present moment."

"He'll get over that."

"I fear he will be disappointed. Father's trip was made nearly twenty-five years ago, when it was a really wonderful land."

"He is young. He will reimagine it."

The boy stood like some beautiful animal poised for a spring as the ferry shouldered its clumsy way into the Jersey dock. He was of less bulk than his strong, composed, modish sister, and his face was as dark, as mobile and as eager as hers was fair and impassive. Peabody experienced once again a twinge of keen regret that Ann had not some of her brother's radiant enthusiasm.

Surrounded by porters and wearing an air of command, Louis led the way to the sleeping car, impatient of his sister's deliberation. On one hip he carried a pair of large field glasses and over the other a costly camera, while half concealed cases of pencils and pads of drawing paper bulging from his pockets announced his artistic intention.

As the time for the train to start drew near Peabody strove to win some softer word from Ann, but she was not of those who manifest emotion. Her training and her temperament were alike opposed to easy expression. When he tried to take her hand a second time with eyes that entreated she recoiled.

"No, no! You have no right to expect that!"

He was no longer a boy, and he was bred to self control; therefore, though his voice trembled a little, he spoke quietly: "Goodbye, Ann. Write every day, won't you?"

In a voice which chilled him she replied: "Every day is pretty often, but you will hear from me. Go and see mother, please. She will not say so, but she will be glad to have you come." "Depend upon me," he said, lifting his hat. His bearded face betrayed no emotion, but his eyes were hot with pain and grief.

The girl on her part felt a sudden twinge of remorse as she left him there, a fine, strong, manly suitor, who uttered no complaint, though she wounded him. The twitching of his lips troubled her, but she did not relent. In her heart she said: "I can't help it. It isn't in me. He shouldn't ask it."

Louis threw himself flat on the couch in their stateroom and said boyishly: "Geel! We're off at last. Now let her whiz. This old train can't go fast enough for me."

Looking down at him at that moment, Ann's bosom swelled with an emotion almost maternal. "How thin he is," she thought, as her eyes took in his slight build. "I'll go. I'll do anything for him, if only he can grow strong and well."

She loved that slender lad and assumed for him a greater weight of care and hope and fear than for any other human being. He was so like his father—the soul restless as flame, the slender body racked, worn with endless enthusiasms, the burning, mesmerizing eyes and the delicate mouth. All these she had known and valued in her father, and when the doctor seriously advised the Rocky mountains she

readily gave up her own plans, and here and now she sat, rushing toward the west to a town repulsive to her, a place of emptiness and weariness, a social desert, where no one lived but her cousins, the Barnetts, to whose hospitable door they were bound as voyagers on a wide sea to a snug harbor. Without that home as a point of arrival Ann Rupert would have been in such uncertainty of mind as besets a sailor on a chartless sea.

She was making this abhorrent trip in order that her brother might thrive in his physical well being as well as in his art. He had recently determined on being an illustrator of wild animal books. "I'm going to study them at first hand," he repeated often, "the way Melborn Foster has done. And, besides, I want to illustrate father's journal." This journal, the record of a trip into the west made by Philip Rupert before his marriage, had come to be the most powerful influence in the lad's life. It was a worn little red book in which the father had written the daily happenings and impressions of his trip, and its discovery by Louis in a box of old papers had quite transformed his life. It had made him an American, filling him with a longing for the "Hesperian mountains," as the father called the romantic land he had seen but once, but whose splendor lived with him throughout the remainder of his short life.

As they sat at the table in the dining car Ann again listened indulgently to her brother's plans, and permitted him to order the dinner and assume all the manners of a grown man, honestly trying to conceal her own weariness of spirit, sincerely regretful of her bitter words on the ferry.

Louis was not weary. He eyed every man who came in, avid to discover some western trait, some outward sign of inward difference between himself and his companions, but could not. They were all quite commonplace business men, well dressed, close clipped and urbane of manner. Some of them were evidently salesmen going over to Philadelphia or out to Chicago, and they all ate long and with every evidence of enjoyment. Some of the women were young and pretty—students returning to the west for their summer vacations.

Once more in the privacy of her stateroom and looking out at the landscape reeling past, Ann sank back in her seat wholly dismayed. "What in the world can I do out there?" she asked herself most poignantly. "Of course they don't

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play golf or tennis, and I can't ride, and, besides, whom could I play with? Jeannette is not a bit athletic." And again the small round of her interests—she had no gayeties—was borne in upon her. "I shall die of inactivity." Louis excused himself quite formally and went back into the smoking compartment to sit with the men, while Ann, left alone, gave herself up to a close, half ironic study of the absurdity of her position. With a dozen most desirable invitations to distinguished London homes, with everything before her



"Hello, Don!" shouted Louis.

that a girl of her age and tastes could desire, she had turned away to face the crude conditions of a western state in a warm glow of sisterly affection.

She took up the little red book, in which she had taken only a languid interest before, and, turning the leaves at random, fell upon bits of description that stirred her unaccountably. Now that she was about to enter this land of her father's delight, the words took on passion and power.

They arrived in Chicago behind their schedule time and had but a few minutes in which to make their transfer, and so they saw little of the great central metropolis. To them it was only a gloomy, clangorous shed fitted with long strings of railway coaches all marked with strange names—names which meant little to her, but which excited Louis almost to tears. "See," he cried, "there is a car from Oregon and one from Wyoming!" The people who filled the coaches were not markedly different at first glance from those she had been traveling with, but Louis more keenly discerning, began to distinguish types at once, and when one or two big men came in wearing wide hats and chin beards he trembled with joy. "There are some cattlemen—I'm sure of it," he whispered hoarsely.

Louis did not return to the Pullman till after the train had left the city, and she was just beginning to wonder thereat when he came in with eyes ablaze. "I've struck 'em at last!" he fairly shouted in her ear. "They're all up in the reeling chairs, chin beards, spitters and all. I'm just crazy to sketch two or three of them. It doesn't pay to ride in a stateroom if you want to see types," he added in conclusively discontent.

As that day and the next were on the boy began to burn with a new phase of his fever. He commenced to count the hours till he might be able to discern Mogulism, the great peak of the Ram par range, whose fame is worldwide. Ann experienced her first decided flash of interest as the swinging, reeling rush of the train brought the great peak into view, a dim, blue dome against the western sky.

At last, just as the red was paling out of the sky, the train swung to the left on its southerly course, and the whole Rampar range began to stretch and wind away to northward and southward, while between the plain and the foothills rolled a tawny sea of sod, deeply marked with ravines and dotted with pine-clad bluffs. The range grew dimmer as they gazed, and at last even Louis was content to sink back in his seat and wait.

"It isn't a bit as I expected it to be," he said, "but it is glorious. That purple green was wonderful. I'm going to try to get that some time. It isn't as precipitous as the Alps, but it's superb just the same, and just think how much wilder it was when father came here!"

"I'm glad you were not disappointed, boy," she replied, laying her hand on his shoulder and caressing his cheek. "but you need rest. You're seeing too much."

The train was now winding down toward Valley Springs, and only the splendid sky line of the range could be distinguished as the lights of the town began to sparkle out of the obscure murk.

The porter, with brush in hand, came down the aisle. "This is Valley Springs, miss."

They were met at the car door by a big, smiling man in modish summer dress, while behind him stood a pale, sweet faced woman in blue.

"Hello, Don!" shouted Louis.

"Hello, laddie! How do you do, Ann?" replied Barnett, and as Ann and her cousin embraced the big man caught Louis by the hand. "How's your muscle, my boy? Got all your traps? Here, Tom!" he called to a colored footman, "look out for these things."

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Rev. Peter Fields, pastor of the Third Street church, has been at work on the project since November, and has accomplished a great deal, as evidenced by the results.

It is hoped to have the church completed within a year. The site on which the new church is to be erected was formerly occupied by the Second Presbyterian church, which for several years was in a prosperous condition, but finally began losing ground and finally the church was sold for debt. The old church will be torn down or moved away.

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Maj. Wood yesterday addressed a letter to several persons making inquiry, in which he stated that all vouchers executed on Sunday will be valid, and for none to be executed on Saturday, which would be contrary to law.

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### Mitchell's Ultimatum.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 1.—President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, announced today: "We must have increased wages or there will be no agreement." President Mitchell said that this was an ultimatum. The wage scale will probably be settled in the district conferences.

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New, nice, 4-room house on 50 ft. lot with shade trees, on south side of Harrison St., between 16th and Fountain avenue, in Fountain Park. Low price and monthly payments. See me to get home easy.

No. 1141 Clay St., new, 5-room brick cottage, water inside, one nicest cottages to be found. Price \$1,800, only \$500 cash balance payments 1, 2 and 3 years.

Joining 1141 have 67 ft. vacant which will sell alone or with the brick cottage. Easy terms. 1032 North 12th St., 5-room frame cottage with stable, water inside house. Price \$1,200 on easy payments.

N. E. corner 3rd & Tennessee Sts., 38 ft. front on 3rd and full depth lot to alley, storehouse brick, frame 5-room house and vacant space for two more houses, all for \$3,000.

Fountain Park 7-room, new residence, bath and water with sink in kitchen, 50 ft. lot, plenty shade trees, choice home place. Price \$1,350 only \$950 cash and all time wanted on balance. Bargain.

Two houses on one lot, northwest corner Ninth and Ohio streets. Good offer at \$2,100 on very easy payments.

Good four-room residence in Mechanicsburg, joining the Biederman grocery store, price \$850, half cash and as much time as wanted on balance.

Don't forget that I have at all times plenty money to loan on farm mortgages at 6 per cent interest, ten years' time.

New plat of Madison St. lots just west of and adjoining Fountain park, all level and high, and street graded and graveled. Survey just made and plat turned over to me. Come while can get first choice. Prices \$250 of which \$25 cash and balance on \$5 monthly payments. Location, price and terms considered, these are most desirable lots in Paducah.

First class business property on both Second and Third streets near Broadway. Best chance to be had in this line of investment. Ask for details.

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## NEW STATE HOTEL

D. A. Bailey, Prop. METROPOLIS, ILL.

Newest and best hotel in the city Rates \$2.00. Two large sample rooms. Bath rooms. Electric lights. The only centrally located hotel in the city. Commercial Patronage Solicited.

## NEW TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

List of new subscribers added by the East Tennessee Telephone company today:

2272—Burgess, R. A., Residence, 1720 Monroe.  
1360—Nelson, Dr. O., Residence, Cochran Flats.  
1739—Rittoff Iron and Metal Co., 117 and 119 Kentucky Ave.  
2276—Rosier, Henry, Residence, 215 Adams.  
2237—Street, Mrs. S. A., Residence, 1107 Monroe.  
2236—Suell, K. D., Residence, North Twelfth.  
2270—Clements, Chas., Residence, 515 Adams.  
2293—Deihl, H., Residence, 312 South Third.  
1481—Douglas, H. A., Grocery, 825 South Third.  
628-3—Harrison, Mrs. E. A., Residence, Lone Oak.

Like other commodities telephone service should be paid for according to its worth and value.

According to the last telephone directories issued we have in the city about 2,500 subscribers or five times as many as the Independent Co.; outside the city and within the county, we have 63 times as many subscribers as the Independent Co. Yet we will place a telephone in your residence at the same rate the Independent Co. is supposed to charge and provide in addition long distance facilities which will enable you to reach 50,000,000 people from your home.

Call 300 for further information. EAST TENNESSEE TELEPHONE COMPANY.

## KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH Dr. King's New Discovery FOR CONSUMPTION Price 50c & \$1.00 Free Trial.

Swiftest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

Engraved cards and plate \$1.25 at The Sun office.



## LITTLE BUILDING AND FEW FIRES

Are Reported in Paducah for  
January.

There is Also a Falling Off in Ar-  
rests—Business Has Shown a  
Healthy Expansion.

### REPORTS FROM MANY SOURCES

There is not a great deal of build-  
ing going on at present in Paducah,  
but the indications are for a rush in  
a month or two.

City Engineer L. A. Washington  
during the past month issued the fol-  
lowing building permits:

Mergenthaler-Horton basket fac-  
tory, frame on Meyers street between  
Clements street and Island creek,  
\$575.

Langstaff-Orm Manufacturing Co.,  
frame on Second between Clark and  
Adams, \$3,000.

City hospital, brick addition at  
Fourth and Clay streets, \$825.

W. H. Patterson, corrugated iron  
building on Fourth between Broad-  
way and Kentucky avenue, \$12.

W. N. Levan, frame near Kinkead  
street, \$75.

W. E. Cave, brick on Madison be-  
tween Eighth and Ninth, \$2,500.

Fooks-Acree Lumber company,  
frame on Monroe between First and  
Second, \$300.

Brackett Owen, brick on Monroe  
between First and Second, \$300.

M. H. Weikel, brick on Monroe be-  
tween Seventeenth and Eighteenth,  
\$1,000.

Mrs. Jessie Wicks, frame on  
Fourth between Madison and Mon-  
roe streets, \$400.

E. B. Harbour, brick on Third be-  
tween Broadway and Jefferson, \$200.

Dick Holland, two frames on Bur-  
nett between Thirteenth and Four-  
teenth streets, \$300 each.

Lillie Schmidt, frame on Harahan  
avenue between Harrison and Clay,  
\$1,000.

T. A. Jones, frame on Benton road  
near Mill street, \$200.

L. S. DuBois, brick on Broadway  
between Fifth and Sixth, \$1,000.

M. S. Price, frame on Ashbrook  
between Yeiser and Powell, \$250.

E. J. Lagore, frame on Norton be-  
tween Twenty-third and Twenty-  
fourth streets, \$400.

### Police Arrests.

The report of the police depart-  
ment for the month just closed shows  
100 arrests, a slight falling off over  
previous months. The arrests were  
for the following:

Adultery, 1; breaches of the peace,  
24; drunk and disorderly, 8; disor-  
derly conduct, 5; drunk, 14; disor-  
derly house, 1; petty larceny, 8;  
murder, 2; housebreaking, 6; ob-  
taining money under false pretenses,  
6; carrying concealed weapons, 4;  
presenting revolver at another, 2;  
maliciously shooting at another, 2;  
malicious assault, 1; crazy, 1; sus-  
pect, 2; obtaining goods by false pre-  
tenses, 1; grand larceny, 4; embez-  
zlement, 2; breach of ordinance, 1;  
malicious cutting, 1; selling property  
not his own, 1; robbery, 1; forgery,  
1; total, 100.

### Marriage Licenses.

County Clerk Hiram Smedley is-  
sued during the month of January  
twenty-two marriage licenses to  
white and nine to colored persons.

### The I. C. Had a Good Month.

The I. C. started the new year  
off with a very busy first month.  
All departments report a very good  
business, a slight increase over De-  
cember.

The freight department reports a  
general picking up of business due  
to the fact that drummers are all  
working now and goods are begin-  
ning to move over the lines.

The baggage department is hand-  
ling a great deal of baggage due to  
the general movement among the  
drummers. Baggage man William  
Flowers reports a very brisk busi-  
ness in baggage in January.

The ticket department also re-  
ports a very brisk month and a  
steady increase in travel. The road  
did an enormous business in passen-  
ger service in the home seekers'  
special rate. Hundreds of home  
seekers were taken through en  
route to Texas and the West.

### Few Fires in January.

The Paducah fire department ex-  
perienced an unusually quiet month  
in January.

There were not more than ten  
runs and not one amounting to  
more damage than the replacing of  
a few shingles on roofs. Captain  
Joe Collins, of the No. 1 station,  
stated that only five fires occurred  
in January and that the month was  
unusually quiet.

### Business Good in January.

January was a good month for  
the local wholesale houses, all re-

HE WAS SORRY HE SPOKE.



Fred Bronson: "I understand our set is to have a grand charity ball. Have you ever danced for charity, Miss Swellington?"  
Miss Swellington: "Yes, indeed I have. Don't you remember I danced with you several times at Mrs. De Swell's ball last winter?"

porting a very satisfactory business.  
The splendid conditions in the  
South, where a good deal of the Pa-  
ducah houses' trade is, have given  
business this year a big stimulus.  
The people seem to have plenty of  
money and are spending it very lib-  
erally. In the grocery, whisky, dry  
goods and hardware, and saddlery  
and collar lines, business all that  
could be expected. The retailers,  
however, are complaining, and with  
good reason. The mild, open weath-  
er has left them with most of their  
heavy goods still on the shelves.

The local freight departments of  
the railroads report January busi-  
ness better than usual. Business  
usually falls off with the railroads  
in January, but last month was an  
exception, accounted for probably  
because of the cars shortage in De-  
cember and November leaving a  
good deal of freight that should  
have been moved in those months  
unmoved.

Business at the wharf was better  
than for any January in years.  
Freight and passenger business with  
the local packets being exception-  
ally good.

The architects are very busy draw-  
ing plans for houses to be erected  
this spring, and say they have never  
had as much work as they have in  
their offices today.

### Recruits for the Month.

The Evansville district recruiting  
office, of which the local recruiting  
office is a branch, enlisted 50 men  
last month, the best record the of-  
fice has ever made for January. The  
local office, under Sergeant J. E.  
Noyes, enlisted 11 men, Sergeant  
Noyes will leave for several points

in West Kentucky to round up a  
number of applicants he has, and  
the men will be brought to Paducah  
and enrolled.

As a stimulus for better shooting,  
the service has offered prizes of \$3  
a month additional pay for riflemen,  
\$2 for those who qualify as sharp-  
shooters and \$1 for marksmen. A  
riflesman has to have an average of  
90, a sharpshooter of 80 and a  
marksman of 75.

### Sewer Inspector's Report.

The report of Sewer Inspector A.  
Frankie for the month of January  
shows:

Six plumbing permits issued.  
Five yard sewer permits issued.  
Six water tests.  
Six smoke tests.  
Five yard sewer inspections.  
Six final tests and sewer connec-  
tions granted.

Three smoke tests and sewer con-  
nections granted on Cochrane flat.

In addition he spent one week  
cleaning out the sewer on Ninth  
street between Kentucky avenue  
and Washington street.

### I. C. Hospital Report.

The railroad hospital reports a  
quiet month in January. At the be-  
ginning of the month eighteen pa-  
tients were under treatment. Forty-  
one were admitted during the month  
and at the close a total of fourteen  
remained under treatment. One  
death occurred.

### Riverside Hospital.

Number in at first of month ten,  
four private and six public; received  
during month twenty-six, thirteen  
private and thirteen public; number

at close of month twelve; seven pri-  
vate and five public. Three deaths  
occurred.

### Burial Permits.

City Clerk Henry Bailey issued  
during January 15 burial permits,  
ten white and five colored.

### SUIT DISMISSED.

Action Against George Gibbs, Lum-  
berman, Taken Off the Docket.

The case of Florence Story against  
George Gibbs dismissed on request  
of the defense, the plaintiff offering  
no objections. It is understood that  
the plaintiff did not desire to prose-  
cute, and recommended the dis-  
missal which was made in the name  
of the defense.

The suit was brought to recover  
\$5,000 damages for alleged seduc-  
tion. Mr. Gibbs is a prominent lum-  
berman of the Odgen Landing neigh-  
borhood, and from the first declared  
that the suit was brought without  
any grounds.

### TWENTY NEW MEN

Added to the Car Repairing Force  
This Morning.

Twenty car repairers were added  
to the force in the local I. C. wood-  
working shops this morning and it is  
the largest force that has been work-  
ed this winter.

The men were distributed among  
the several different departments,  
some going into the freight car de-  
partments, other to the planing mill  
and some to the jacking track. The  
repair work began piling up rather  
rapidly and necessitated the addition  
of more men.

### DOPE.

The Memphis Commercial Appeal  
prints a little 'dope' on the organi-  
zation of the Nashville Southern  
league ball team which will this sea-  
son be under the management of  
Mickey Finn, and among the players  
mentioned to be in the line-up as  
"sure things" is the name of "Red"  
Bohannon, who played out the sea-  
son with that team last year after  
leaving the Kitty league. Bohannan  
did some excellent stick work  
for the Nashville team and demon-  
strated that he was as fast as any in-  
fielder they had. Bohannon is book-  
ed for second base, it is said.

"Umpire" Bush, who officiated at  
a few games last season, will likely  
get a job as umpire in the new league  
this year.

The Capital says that Vincennes  
players will report about April 15th  
for exhibition games.

Invitations and wedding announce-  
ments are a specialty of The Sun's  
job department with prices lower  
than elsewhere.

The charm of the wild rose is gone  
once the dewdrop in its heart disap-  
pears.

## Special Offer on Monogram Stationery, one or two Initials

We are making an unusually low price  
on one and two initial stationery, using a  
handsome paper in Bond or French Crepon,  
in many shades.

This paper is just the thing for social  
correspondence.

Note these prices:

Two quires (48 sheets of fine note paper and 50 envel-  
opes) embossed with any one or two initials you desire in  
any color ink. . . . . \$1.00

Two quires (48 sheets of fine note paper and 50 envel-  
opes) embossed with any one or two initials you desire in  
gold . . . . . 1 25

Two quires (48 sheets of fine note paper and 50 envel-  
opes) embossed with any one or two initials you desire in  
silver . . . . . 1 25

Five quires (120 sheets of fine note paper and 125 envel-  
opes) embossed with any one or two initials you desire in  
any color ink. . . . . 2 25

Five quires (120 sheets of fine note paper and 125 envel-  
opes) embossed with any one or two initials you desire in  
gold . . . . . 2 75

Five quires (120 sheets of fine note paper and 125 envel-  
opes) embossed with any one or two initials you desire in  
silver . . . . . 2 75

Size of paper folded is 5 3-16x6 5-8  
Size of envelopes 5 3-8x3 3-8

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### RIVER NEWS

#### RIVER STAGES.

Cairo, 33.1—0.2, fall.  
Chattanooga, 10.1—0.1, fall.  
Cincinnati, 28.4—2.2, fall.  
Evansville, 27.0—0.6, rise.  
Florence, 9.0—2.3, fall.  
Johnsonville, 20.0—0.9, fall.  
Louisville, 9.9—0.6, fall.  
Mt. Carmel, 16.3—0.5, fall.  
Pittsburg, 5.1—0.7, fall.  
Davis Island Dam, 7.2—0.5, fall.  
St. Louis, 13.7—0.6, rise.  
Mt. Vernon, 26.7—0.5, rise.  
Paducah, 29.1—0.1, fall.

The river fell .1 of a foot last  
night, the gauge registering today  
29.1 feet.

The Clyde had a big trip for the  
Tennessee river last night and did  
not get away until 8 o'clock.

The Dick Fowler had a good trip  
for Cairo today.

The Kentucky is due out of the  
Tennessee river tonight.

The Peters Lee leaves Memphis  
on her trip to Cincinnati today.

The Nellie Willett came out of  
Duck river today with three barges  
of lumber for Brookport.

The Hopkins was the Evansville  
packet today.

January has been a good month  
for business in river circles, the  
river has been open all month, and  
all the boats have had a big busi-  
ness, especially the Tennessee river  
boats and the local packets.

The sunken steamship Louisiana,  
at New Orleans, which private par-  
ties undertook to raise by means of  
a bulkhead, while being lifted Wed-  
nesday in the presence of a large  
crowd of people broke from the  
bulkhead, capsized and sank com-  
pletely out of sight. She is a total  
loss. No lives were lost but several  
workmen came near drowning.

There were three coalboat stages  
in the river during the past month.  
Nothing is being done toward  
raising the J. W. Thomas, sunk at  
Tell City.

The Wash Honshell is making re-  
pairs at Cairo.

The great steel-hulled Missis-  
sippi river steamboat S. S. Brown,  
at Pittsburg, will be run in the Arkan-  
sas river trade by the Memphis and  
Arkansas River Packet company.  
The boat was contracted to be built  
at a cost of \$150,000. She was  
named in honor of the late Capt.  
S. S. Brown. She will be completed  
by May 1.

A Pittsburg dispatch says: Wil-  
liam L. Sibert, government engineer  
reports that for the twelve months  
ending December 31, 9,082,740 tons  
of material passed through lock No.  
3 up stream and 11,192,168 tons  
down stream. Coal shipped down  
stream in the same period was 9,  
476,280 tons.

A Cairo dispatch says: The  
steamer Stackler Lee passed up for  
Cincinnati. Capt. Dan Scott, agent  
for the underwriters, who returned  
from the wreck of the Rees Lee,  
on the steamer says that nothing  
can be done to raise the sunken  
boat until the river falls 15 feet.  
The stern of the boat has settled  
down until the water is 20 feet  
deep over her roof aft. The boat  
still lies straight. The hole in her

is not large. It was caused by a  
sunken tree.

Ward Roberts, second clerk on  
the steamer Tarascon, of the Louis-  
ville and Evansville Packet com-  
pany, died Monday evening at his  
home in New Amsterdam, Harrison  
county, forty miles below New Al-  
bany, on the Ohio river, of pneu-  
monia after an illness of but a few  
days. Roberts was twenty-eight  
years old.

### Mr. Wright's Lecture.

Rev. D. C. Wright will lecture on  
Friday night in the parish hall on  
"Weeds." About the life history of  
one of our common weeds has been  
woven a series of anecdotes and  
stories touching on human weakness  
and foibles in a lighter vein, with  
enough of fact and truth to "adorn  
the tale." Lecture at 8 o'clock. Ad-  
mission 25 cents.

—The thirty-ninth series of the  
Mechanics' Building and Loan Asso-  
ciation is on sale. It pays 10 per cent  
if allowed to run to maturity, 10 1/2  
years, or 6 per cent on withdrawal.  
F. M. Fisher, Secretary.

### RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.			
Corrected Dec. 10, 1905.			
South Bound	101	103	121
Lv. Cincinnati	8:20am	6:00pm	
Lv. Louisville	12:01pm	9:40pm	7:31am
Lv. Owensboro		6:00pm	9:40am
Lv. Horse Branch	2:25pm	12:08am	11:00am
Lv. Central City	3:30pm	1:00am	12:30pm
Lv. Nortonville	4:30pm	1:40am	1:20pm
Lv. Evansville	12:50pm	4:40am	8:30am
Lv. Nashville		7:00pm	8:05am
Lv. Hopkinsville	2:45pm	8:30am	11:20am
Lv. Princeton	3:55pm	2:27am	2:30pm
Ar. Paducah	6:10pm	3:40am	
Ar. Paducah	6:15pm	3:45am	4:30pm
Ar. Fulton	7:30pm	4:50am	6:00pm
Ar. Gibson, Tenn.	7:41pm	5:31am	
Ar. Rives	7:49pm	6:01am	
Ar. Jackson	7:55pm	7:15am	
Ar. Memphis	10:45pm	8:30am	
Ar. N. Orleans	11:00am	8:15pm	
North Bound			
Lv. N. Orleans	7:10pm	9:15am	122
Lv. Memphis	8:45am	8:50pm	
Lv. Jackson	8:07am	10:10pm	
Lv. Rives	11:50pm		
Lv. Gibson Tenn.		9:15pm	
Lv. Fulton	10:10am	12:35am	6:00am
Ar. Paducah	11:30am	1:40am	7:40am
Ar. Paducah	11:35am	1:45am	7:50am
Ar. Princeton	12:30pm	3:00am	8:20am
Ar. Hopkinsville	6:10pm	5:20am	
Ar. Nashville	8:30pm	6:10am	
Ar. Evansville	3:45pm	9:45am	
Ar. Nortonville	1:25pm	8:11am	10:50am
Ar. Central City	2:45pm	9:30am	11:30am
Ar. Horse Branch	3:05pm	9:18am	12:50pm
Ar. Owensboro	4:05pm	8:35am	4:50pm
Ar. Louisville	7:50pm	7:50am	
Ar. Cincinnati	9:15pm	11:55am	

ST. LOUIS DIVISION			
North Bound	305	374	
Lv. Paducah	12:40pm	4:30pm	
Ar. Carbondale	4:35pm	8:40pm	
Ar. Chicago	6:30pm	6:10am	
Ar. St. Louis	8:00pm	7:30am	
South Bound	306	375	
Lv. St. Louis	7:45am	8:40pm	
Lv. Chicago	3:50am	6:30pm	
Lv. Carbondale	11:40am	7:05am	
Ar. Paducah	8:35pm	11:40am	

CAIRO-NASHVILLE LINE.			
North Bound	101-901	125-835	
Lv. Nashville	8:10am		
Lv. Hopkinsville	11:30am	6:40 am	
Lv. Princeton	2:30 pm	7:45 am	
Ar. Paducah	4:15 pm	9:25 am	
Ar. Cairo	8:35 pm	11:10 am	
Ar. St. Louis	7:05 am	5:00 pm	
Ar. Cincinnati	11:15 am	9:30 pm	
South Bound	122-822	126-836	
Lv. Chicago	6:20 pm	12:45 am	
Lv. St. Louis	6:40 pm	2:15 pm	
Lv. Cairo	6:00 am	6:45 pm	
Ar. Paducah	7:45 am	8:35 pm	
Ar. Paducah	7:50 am	3:10 pm	
Ar. Princeton	9:30 am	4:45 pm	
Ar. Hopkinsville		6:10 pm	
Ar. Nashville		9:35 pm	

Trains marked thus \* run daily except Sun-  
day. All other trains run daily.  
Trains 101 and 102 carry through sleepers be-  
tween Cincinnati, Memphis and New Orleans.  
Trains 101 and 102 sleepers between Louisville,  
Memphis and New Orleans. Trains 125 and 126  
sleepers between Paducah and St. Louis.  
For further information address J. T. Don-  
nan, agent, Paducah, Ky.; Geo. C. Warfield,  
ticket agent, Union Depot, Paducah, Ky.; Har-  
low, D. P. A., Louisville, Ky.; John A. Scott,  
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